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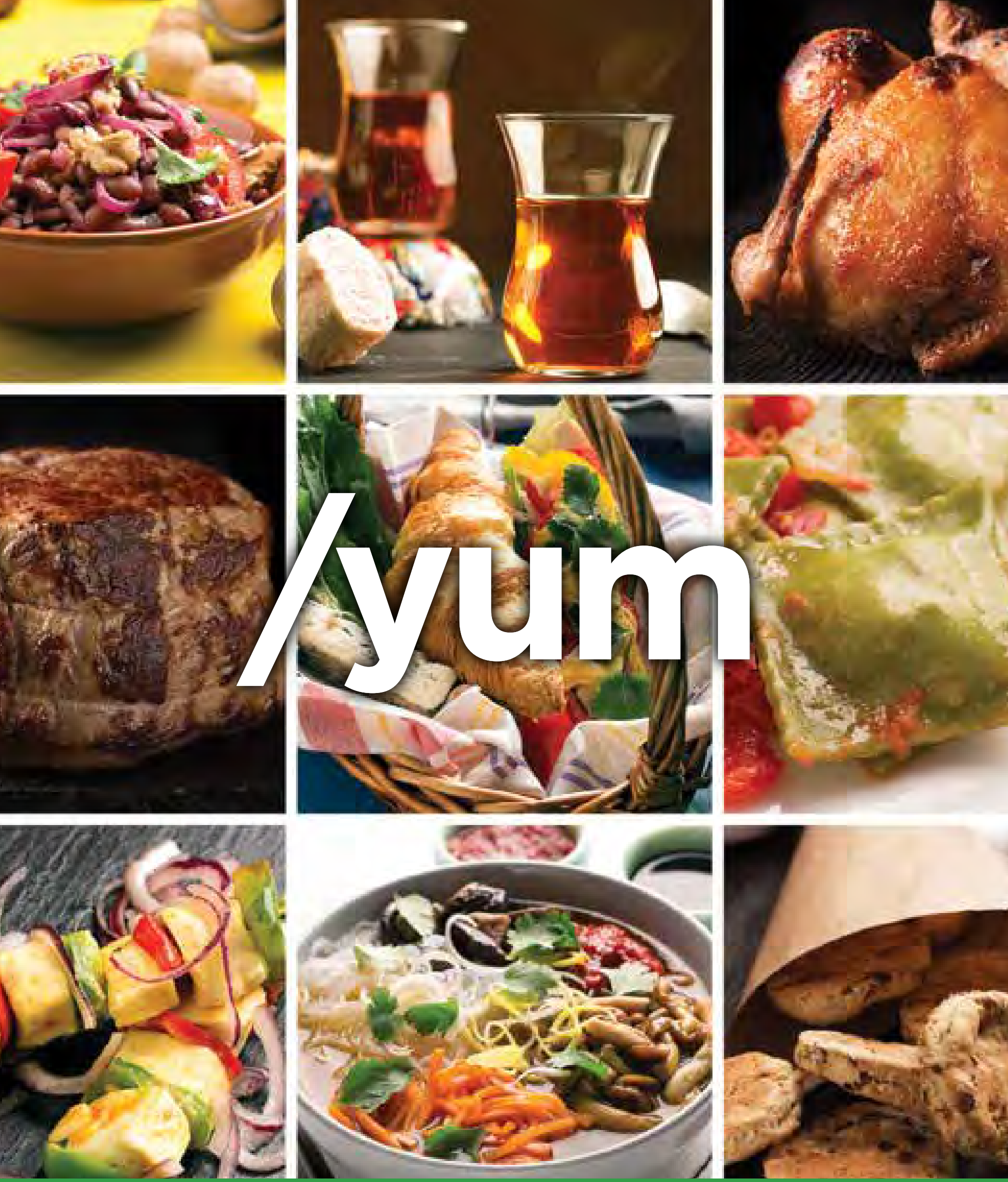

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welcome خوش آمدید
Bienvenido Tuloy po kayo
Chao mung quy vi

Join us as we celebrate Canada's 150th anniversary

On behalf of the City of Mississauga and Council, we welcome you to explore, experience and enjoy Canada's sixth largest city!

Our city is home to stunning natural beauty; vibrant diversity and culture; celebrated entertainment; renowned restaurants and pubs; popular shopping centres that offer premium brands; and an enticing variety of museums, theatres, sporting, art, and cultural events that will inspire you.

Consider booking a tee time at one of our championship golf courses. Take in the views of our beautiful waterfront or head over to our emerging dynamic downtown, home to the popular Celebration Square. Walk or cycle through our picturesque parks or enjoy a hike on one of our tranquil trails.

2017 marks the 150th anniversary of Confederation. There will be no shortage of opportunities to celebrate Canada's founding, and our nation's rich history, by taking in a variety of local events.

I encourage you to share your experience with us through our Twitter **@CityMississauga** and Facebook page **facebook.com/citymississauga**. We look forward to hearing from you!

Warmest regards,

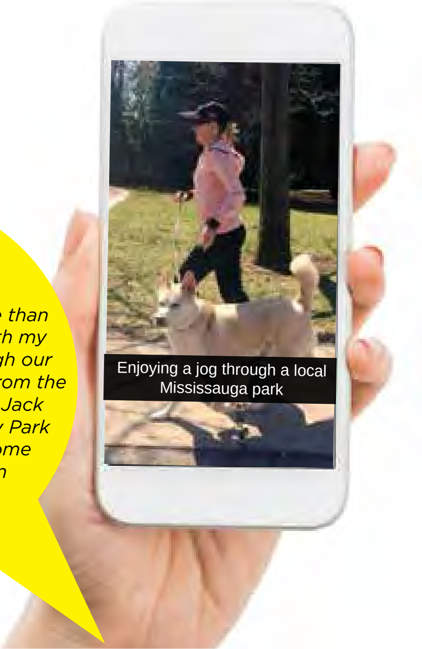
Bonnie Crombie

Bonnie Crombie, MBA, ICD.D
Mayor, City of Mississauga

Mayor Bonnie Crombie's favourite place

There's nothing I enjoy more than going for walks and jogs with my golden husky, Adonis, through our city's many parks and trails. From the Riverwood Conservancy, to Jack Darling Park and Paul Coffey Park in Malton, these are just some of my favourite places in Mississauga!

➔see page 35 for Trails and Parks



Enjoying a jog through a local Mississauga park

We look forward to seeing you here!

On behalf of the Mississauga Tourism Advisory Board and the hospitality services in Mississauga, I am pleased to provide you with the *2017 Mississauga Visitor Guide*.

Whether you are here for business or pleasure, we want to provide the best service possible. From accommodations to shopping to dining to recreation, you will find it all here.

This guide is your passport to whatever you need during your stay. I hope you find time to explore Mississauga's many attractions such as our picturesque neighbourhoods, vibrant downtown, and exciting waterfront.

In these pages, you'll find information on our heritage and cultural attractions, places to stay, shop and dine, and how to get around our great city. Check out the calendar of events and spend some time at one of our many festivals. Take in a basketball or hockey game at Hershey Centre or enjoy the outdoors at one of our challenging golf courses.

From the moment you land in Mississauga at Pearson International Airport or drive into the city, this guide aims to help make your visit more enjoyable. We look forward to seeing you!

Yours truly,

Pat Saito

Councillor Pat Saito, Ward 9
Chair, Mississauga Tourism Advisory Board

Councillor Pat Saito's favourite place

One of my favourite spots is Lake Aquitaine in Meadowvale. Here you can walk almost 10 kilometres of trails, work out at the free fitness circuit, fish for bass and enjoy the wildlife. Free parking is available at Meadowvale Community Centre and Library.

➔see page 36

Taking in the sights at Lake Aquitaine.

Photo: Marc LeBlanc

Crowds gather in Mississauga's Celebration Square

Uniquely MISSISSauga

Mississauga is Canada's sixth largest city, conveniently located just a 30-minute drive from Toronto and within easy reach for day trips to Niagara Falls.

There are endless ways to enjoy our city: whether it's walking along a nature trail on the waterfront, going to an outdoor festival, sampling great international cuisine, or a fantastic day of shopping, Mississauga offers much to explore and discover. See our Top 50 Things to See and Do (page 28).

Mississauga's welcoming culture has roots across a mosaic of communities. Just over half of residents who live here today were born in another country. From a rich history to cultural diversity, Mississauga is a great place to visit, live, work, and play.

Known for our diverse festivals year-round (see page 8), join us to celebrate Canada's 150th anniversary of Confederation in 2017 with exciting and unique events (see page 6). Plan your own unique and memorable experience and enjoy!

WHO KNEW?! Famous Neighbours Through History

→ **Colonel Harland Sanders**—*as in Kentucky Fried Chicken—had a home in the Lakeview area for 25 years.*

→ **Her Imperial Highness Grand Duchess Olga Alexandrovna**, *sister to Russia's last Tsar Nicholas II, lived in Cooksville on Camilla Road from the 1950s until her death in 1960.*

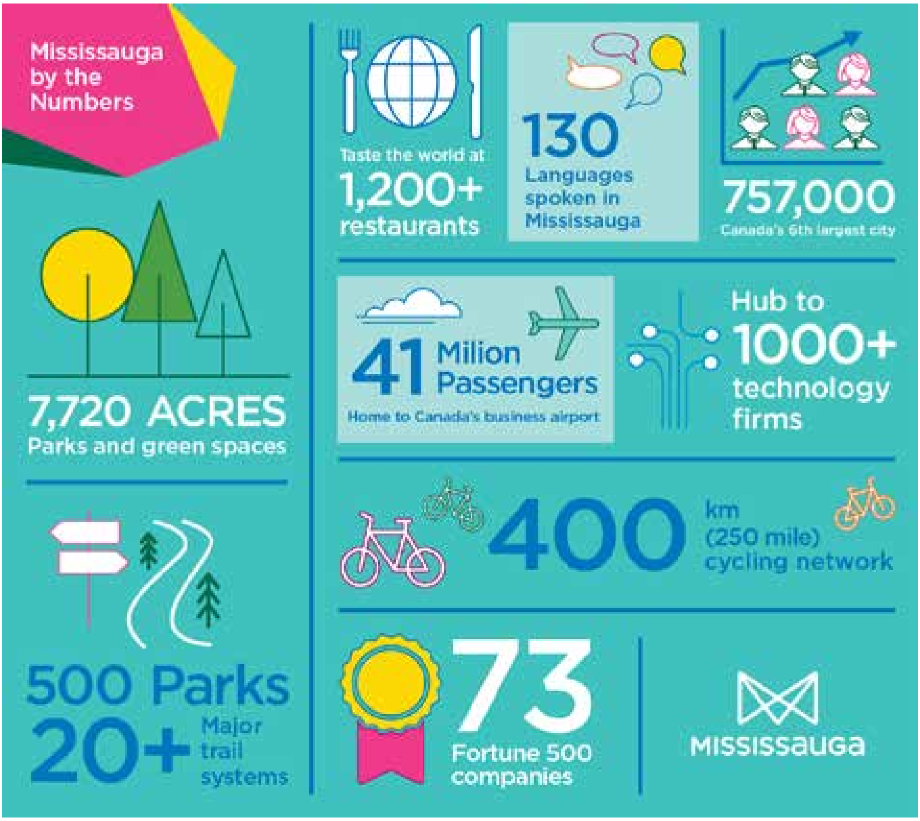
→ **George Hunter**, *the renowned Canadian documentary photographer whose images have appeared on the Canadian five, ten and fifty dollar bills, lived his later years in his home/studio on Mississauga Road.*

→ *Grammy award winning jazz pianist* **Oscar Peterson** *was a proud Mississaugan for some 35 years, and has a public school named in his honour.*

→ **Beautiful people**: *"America's Next Top Model" contestant* **Winnie Harlow** *grew up here, as did Ukrainian-Canadian supermodel* **Daria Werbowy,** *best known as the face of Lancôme.*

5 COOL FACTS about Mississauga

1. **We have a minor planet**! Asteroid 223950, discovered in 2004 was renamed for Mississauga in 2011.
2. **World record holder**. Before retiring in 2014, Mississauga's mayor Hazel McCallion was the world's oldest mayor, serving 36 years, at age 93.
3. **Busiest travel hub**. Don't let the name fool you: Toronto Pearson International Airport—Canada's largest and busiest with over 41 million annual passengers—is actually located in Mississauga.
4. **There is a Mississauga Park in Japan**. Since 1981, Mississauga and Kariya, Japan have exchanged friendship and culture as sister cities. Check out Kariya Park here! (See our Top 50 See and Do on page 36)
5. **A first in aviation history**. Commemorated by Aviation Road east of Port Credit, Canada's first airport, Long Branch Aerodrome, opened near the lakeshore in 1915. It closed in 1919.


Mississauga by the Numbers
Taste the world at 1,200+ restaurants
130 Languages spoken in Mississauga
757,000 Canada's 6th largest city
7,720 ACRES Parks and green spaces
41 Milion Passengers
Home to Canada's business airport
Hub to 1000+ technology firms
400 km (250 mile) cycling network
500 Parks
20+ Major trail systems
73 Fortune 500 companies
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HAPPY 150TH CANADA!

2017 marks the 150th year of Canadian Confederation. Join us in Mississauga as we celebrate everything that is truly Canadian in the City – rich cultural diversity and heritage, exceptional parks, trails and waterfront spaces; and spectacular celebrations! Mississauga is the top place to discover all the best our nation has to offer.

Pure Mississauga, 100% Canadian.
From main stage events to neighbourhood block parties, museum exhibitions and public art installations, we've got countless ways to celebrate Canada.

Canada Day – Saturday, July 1, 2017

Mississauga Celebration Square

2:00 pm – 10:30 pm

Be captivated by the story of Mississauga and rich history of our great country told through live performances and concerts with internationally renowned Canadian recording artists and local musicians. Enjoy over 25 food trucks, Canadiana inspired kids programming and an unforgettable fireworks finale.

Spread the Canada love in our villages on July 1!
See page 18 for more Canada Day celebrations.

Light up the Square – November 25, 2017

Mississauga Celebration Square

5:00 pm – 9:00 pm

Celebrate Canada one last time as we light up Celebration Square and close off a year of patriotic celebrations. Stroll through the holiday market, enjoy a warm cup of hot chocolate and even pet a reindeer.

For all your Canada 150 event details
visit **mississauga.ca/canada150**

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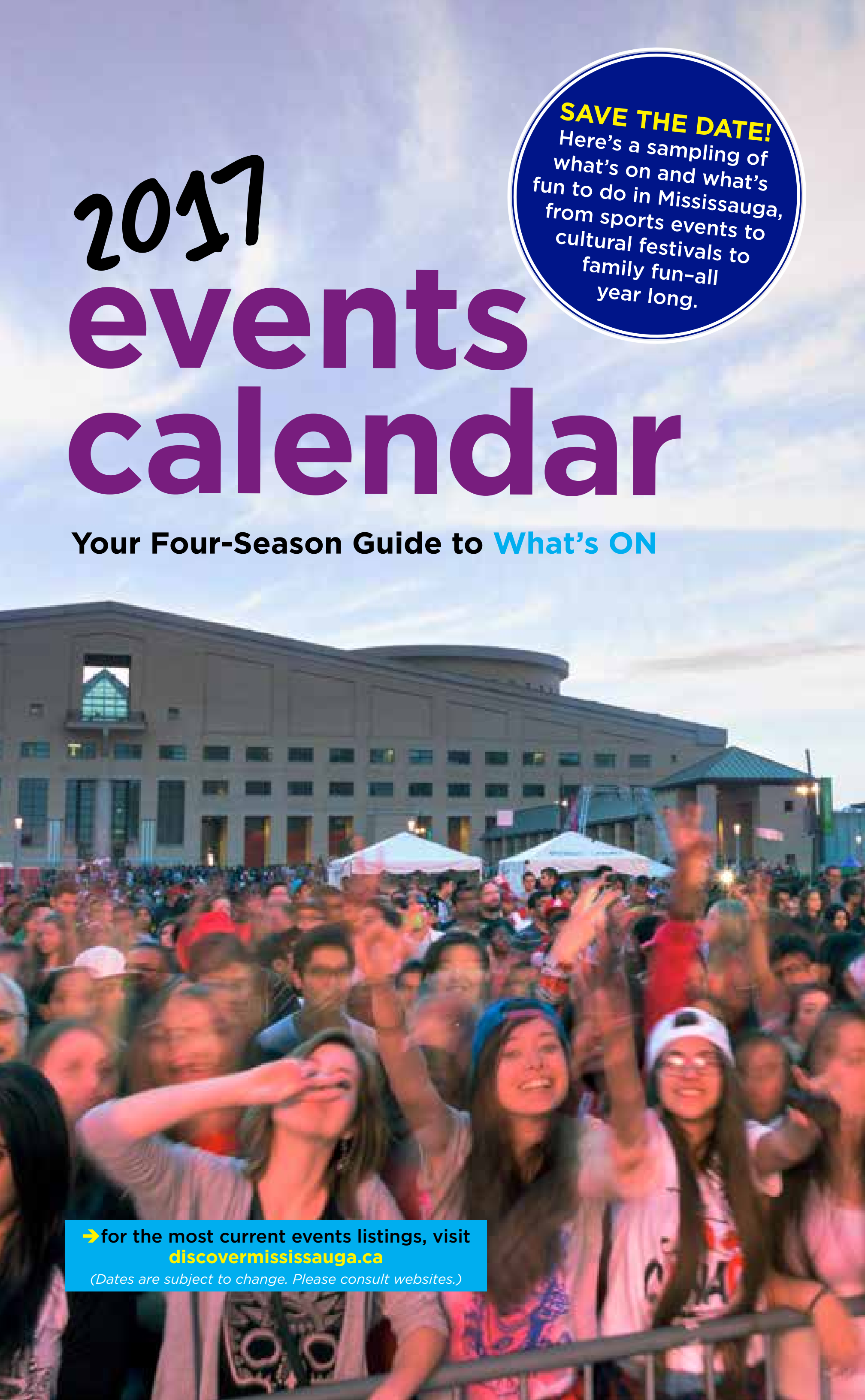
2017
events calendar

Your Four-Season Guide to What's ON

SAVE THE DATE!
Here's a sampling of what's on and what's fun to do in Mississauga, from sports events to cultural festivals to family fun–all year long.



→ for the most current events listings, visit
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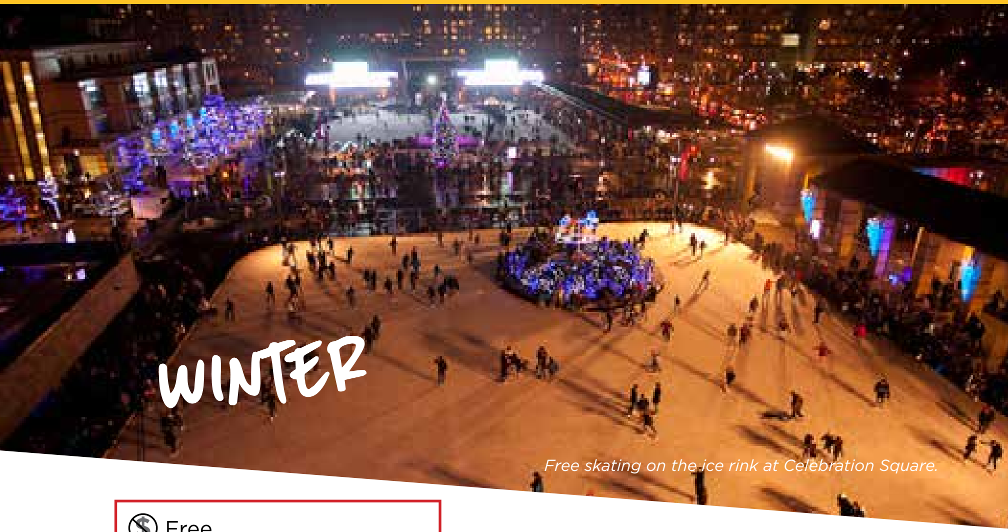
(Dates are subject to change. Please consult websites.)



Free skating on the ice rink at Celebration Square.

- ⊘ Free
- $ Ticketed Event
- 🏆 Competitive Event
- TO Tourism Toronto member
- 🍁 Canada 150 Event

JANUARY

3 Family Fest. Fun for all ages, See "Finding Dory", enjoy storytelling, dance, crafts and more. Meadowvale Theatre, 6315 Montevideo Road, 905-615-4720, meadowvaletheatre.ca $

4 NBA D-League Raptors 905 vs Canton Charge. Hershey Centre, 5500 Rose Cherry Place, 905-502-9100, hersheycentre.com $

6 OHL Mississauga Steelheads vs Barrie Colts. Hershey Centre, 5500 Rose Cherry Place, 905-502-9100, hersheycentre.com $ 🏆

6-8 North American International Motorcycle Supershow. International Centre, 6900 Airport Road, 905-677-6131, motorcyclesupershow.ca $ 🏆

8 OHL Mississauga Steelheads vs London Knights. Hershey Centre, 5500 Rose Cherry Place, 905-502-9100, hersheycentre.com $ 🏆

10 NBA-D Raptors 905 vs Greensboro Swarm. Hershey Centre, 5500 Rose Cherry Place, 905-502-9100, hersheycentre.com $ 🏆

20–22, 26–29 The Little Mermaid. Journey into an exciting underwater world in this live performance of a timeless tale. Meadowvale Theatre, 6315 Montevideo Road, 905-615-4720, meadowvaletheatre.ca $

18-22 NBA D-League Showcase. The league's premier in-season scouting event. See NBA D-Leaguers earn call-ups to the NBA! Hershey Centre, 5500 Rose Cherry Place, raptors905.com/showcase $ 🏆

27 OHL Mississauga Steelheads vs Barrie Colts. Hershey Centre, 5500 Rose Cherry Place, 905-502-9100, hersheycentre.com $ 🏆

Art Gallery of Mississauga presents: Visual Arts Mississauga 39th Annual Juried Show of Fine Arts
January 12 – February 18
300 City Centre Drive, 905-896-5088,
artgalleryofmississauga.com ⊘

28 NBA D-League Raptors 905 vs Delaware 87ers. Hershey Centre, 5500 Rose Cherry Place, 905-502-9100, hersheycentre.com $ 🏆

29 OHL Mississauga Steelheads vs Sudbury Wolves. Hershey Centre, 5500 Rose Cherry Place, 905-502-9100, hersheycentre.com $ 🏆

FEBRUARY

2 The Cicada and the Ant. Contemporary dance for young audiences. Meadowvale Theatre, 6315 Montevideo Road, 905-615-4720, meadowvaletheatre.ca $

3 Louise Pitre – From Broadway with Love. Join Canada's First Lady of Musical Theatre for an intimate evening of Broadway love songs such as Over the Rainbow, Embraceable You and many more. Living Arts Centre, 4141 Living Arts Drive, 905-306-6000, livingartscentre.ca $

3 The Western Swing Authority. Featuring twin fiddles and steel guitar, this award-winning Canadian band fuses old and new. Meadowvale Theatre, 6315 Montevideo Road, 905-615-4720, meadowvaletheatre.ca $

3 OHL Mississauga Steelheads vs North Bay Battalion. Hershey Centre, 5500 Rose Cherry Place, 905-502-9100, hersheycentre.com $ 🏆

4 Cinderella. The State Ballet Theatre of Russia performs the enchanting story of wishes that do come true. Living Arts Centre, 4141 Living Arts Drive, 905-306-6000, livingartscentre.ca $

10 OHL Mississauga Steelheads vs Hamilton Bulldogs. Hershey Centre, 5500 Rose Cherry Place, 905-502-9100, hersheycentre.com $ 🏆

11 Symphonic Pops. Mississauga Symphony Orchestra pays tribute to the music of popular artists like Led Zeppelin, The Beatles and more. Living Arts Centre, 4141 Living Arts Drive, 905-306-6000, mississaugasymphony.ca $

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11 NBA D-League Raptors 905 vs Canton Charge. Hershey Centre, 5500 Rose Cherry Place, 905-502-9100, hersheycentre.com $ 🏆

11 The Basically Basie Big Band – Basie Plays the Beatles. A two-hour show featuring hit songs of Lennon and McCartney. Living Arts Centre, 4141 Living Arts Drive, 905-306-6000, livingartscentre.ca $

12 OHL Mississauga Steelheads vs Saginaw Spirit. Hershey Centre, 5500 Rose Cherry Place, 905-502-9100, hersheycentre.com $ 🏆

14 NBA D-League Raptors 905 vs Westchester Knicks. Hershey Centre, 5500 Rose Cherry Place, 905-502-9100, hersheycentre.com $ 🏆

15 OHL Mississauga Steelheads vs Kingston Frontenacs, School Day Game. Hershey Centre, 5500 Rose Cherry Place, 905-502-9100, hersheycentre.com $ 🏆

17-19, 23-26 Catch Me If You Can. A musical comedy about chasing your dreams without getting caught. Meadowvale Theatre, 6315 Montevideo Road, 905-615-4720, meadowvaletheatre.ca $

17 OHL Mississauga Steelheads vs Erie Otters. Hershey Centre, 5500 Rose Cherry Place, 905-502-9100, hersheycentre.com $ 🏆

17-20 The Spring Fishing & Boat Show. International Centre, 6900 Airport Road, 905-677-6131, springfishingandboatshow.com $

17-20 GTA Home and Reno Show. International Centre, 6900 Airport Road, 905-677-6131, gtahomeandrenoshow.com $

18 Elvis & The Man in Black. Laurence Lemieux's Looking For Elvis pulls from interviews, songs and dance to explore the life of a young Elvis Presley. Living Arts Centre, 4141 Living Arts Drive, 905-306-6000, livingartscentre.ca $

20 OHL Mississauga Steelheads vs Owen Sound Attack. Hershey Centre, 5500 Rose Cherry Place, 905-502-9100, hersheycentre.com $ 🏆

23 NBA D-League Raptors 905 vs Erie Bayhawks. Hershey Centre, 5500 Rose Cherry Place, 905-502-9100, hersheycentre.com $ 🏆

23–26 Port Credit Comedy Festival. Laugh it up at this year's event featuring a roster of world-class comics. Clarke Memorial Hall, 161 Lakeshore Road West, 877-745-5987, portcreditcomedy.com $

24-26 Toronto Golf and Travel Show. International Centre, 6900 Airport Road, 905-677-6131, torontogolfshow.com $

24-26 The Outdoor Adventure Show. International Centre, 6900 Airport Road, 905-677-6131, outdooradventureshow.ca/toronto $

24 OHL Mississauga Steelheads vs Peterborough Petes. Hershey Centre, 5500 Rose Cherry Place, 905-502-9100, hersheycentre.com $ 🏆

24 Shaun Majumder. Laugh out loud with this Gemini award-winning actor/comedian. Living Arts Centre, 4141 Living Arts Drive, 905-306-6000, livingartscentre.ca $

26 OHL Mississauga Steelheads vs Sudbury Wolves. Hershey Centre, 5500 Rose Cherry Place, 905-502-9100, hersheycentre.com $ 🏆

27 NBA D-League Raptors 905 vs Rio Grande Valley Vipers. Hershey Centre, 5500 Rose Cherry Place, 905-502-9100, hersheycentre.com $ 🏆

MARCH

1 Mystéric Au DÉFI. A French-language performance featuring Eric Leclerc, two-time Canadian Magic Championship winner. Meadowvale Theatre, 6315 Montevideo Road, 905-615-4720, meadowvaletheatre.ca $

2 Rémi Bolduc Jazz Ensemble – Swingin' with Oscar. The Rémi Bolduc Jazz Ensemble pays tribute to Mississauga's very own Oscar Peterson! Living Arts Centre, 4141 Living Arts Drive, 905-306-6000, livingartscentre.ca $

⊘ Free
$ Ticketed Event
🏆 Competitive Event

2 Menopause The Musical. Four women at a lingerie sale with nothing in common but a black lace bra and memory loss, hot flashes, night sweats, and more! Living Arts Centre, 4141 Living Arts Drive, 905-306-6000, livingartscentre.ca $

2-5 Toronto Spring Camping & RV Show. International Centre, 6900 Airport Road, 905-677-6131, torontospringcampingrvshow.com $

3 OHL Mississauga Steelheads vs North Bay Battalion. Hershey Centre, 5500 Rose Cherry Place, 905-502-9100, hersheycentre.com $ 🏆

4 Elisapee and the Northern Lights. Enter the world of Elisapee, a young Inuit girl who takes you into the land of the northern lights. Meadowvale Theatre, 6315 Montevideo Road, 905-615-4720, meadowvaletheatre.ca $ 🍁

4 Barrio Flamenco. Ritmo Flamenco Dance Company and Canada's pre-eminent flamenco family, returns to the stage, featuring the renowned Anjelica Scannura, virtuoso guitarist Roger Scannura and multi-talented Valerie Scannura. Living Arts Centre, 4141 Living Arts Drive, 905-306-6000, livingartscentre.ca $

5 OHL Mississauga Steelheads vs Sarnia Sting. Hershey Centre, 5500 Rose Cherry Place, 905-502-9100, hersheycentre.com $ 🏆

10–11 2017 ISU World Junior Synchronized Skating Championships. Hershey Centre, 5500 Rose Cherry Place, 905-502-9100, hersheycentre.com $ 🏆

11 Night Fever – Bee Gees Tribute. Sing along to classics including You Should be Dancing, Stayin' Alive and more! Meadowvale Theatre, 6315 Montevideo Road, 905-615-4720, meadowvaletheatre.ca $

11-19 Maple Magic. Follow the Maple story – sap to syrup to sugar! Learn to tap sap right from the tree and taste the sweet flavour of maple! Shop the Maple Gift Shop, enjoy entertainment and a nature walk through the park. $ 🍁

12–16 46th Annual Little Native Hockey League Tournament. Watch more than 2,500 First Nation youth take to the ice in this tourney hosted by Moose Cree First Nation. Various locations include: Hershey Centre, Mississauga Iceland, Tomken & Meadowvale Arenas, lnhl.ca 🏆

15 Splash 'N Boots. Treehouse TV's Splash'N Boots' music is timeless and universal, with just the right amount of ridiculous, enabling kids to feel empowered and positive. Living Arts Centre, 4141 Living Arts Drive, 905-306-6000, livingartscentre.ca $

15-19 Toronto Sportsmen's Show. For 70 years, Canada's Outdoors Supershow has been the national showcase for products related to fishing, hunting, camping, boating, travel and outdoor adventure. One-stop shopping and entertainment. International Centre, 6900 Airport Road, 905-677-6131, torontosportshow.ca $ TO

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$	Ticketed Event
🏆	Competitive Event
TO	Tourism Toronto member
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Art Gallery of Mississauga presents
Ken Lum: A Matter of Life and Death
March 2 – April 16, 2017
300 City Centre Drive,
905-896-5088,
artgalleryofmississauga.com

16 Nickelodeon's Bubble Guppies Live! Ready to Rock. This bubbly world will have kids, parents, and grandparents jumping out of their seats to sing and dance along! Living Arts Centre, 4141 Living Arts Drive, 905-306-6000, livingartscentre.ca $

17 OHL Mississauga Steelheads vs Barrie Colts. Hershey Centre, 5500 Rose Cherry Place, 905-502-9100, hersheycentre.com $ 🏆

17–19, 23–26 Oklahoma! Curly, a handsome cowboy, and Laurey, a winsome farm girl, play out their love story in this ultimate Rodgers & Hammerstein tale. Meadowvale Theatre, 6315 Montevideo Road, 905-615-4720, meadowvaletheatre.ca $

18 NBA-D Raptors 905 vs Long Island Nets. 5500 Rose Cherry Place, 905-502-9100, Hershey Centre, hersheycentre.com $ 🏆

18 Sing-a-Long-a Sound of Music. See the classic Julie Andrews musical in full-screen Technicolor, complete with subtitles so the whole audience can sing along. Living Arts Centre, 4141 Living Arts Drive, 905-306-6000, livingartscentre.ca $

19 Canada Needs You! With Mike Ford. Celebrate Canada's 150th birthday with Juno-nominated Canadian artist Mike Ford in a special Off-Stage Series at Maple Magic. Bradley Museum, 1620 Orr Road, meadowvaletheatre.ca $ 🍁

19 OHL Mississauga Steelheads vs Niagara IceDogs. Last Regular Season Home Game. Hershey Centre, 5500 Rose Cherry Place, 905-502-9100, hersheycentre.com $ 🏆

21-24 OFSAA Boys Hockey Championships. This year's event will be paired up with the Girls' AAA OFSAA Championship bringing together the top 40 teams from across the province. Hershey Centre, 5500 Rose Cherry Place
Iceland, 705 Matheson Blvd East
Port Credit Arena, 40 Stavebank Road
905-820-3900
ofsaa.on.ca/boys-aaa-hockey $ 🏆

24 Glenn Miller Orchestra. Eighteen musicians and singers bring the unforgettable Glenn Miller sound. Living Arts Centre, 4141 Living Arts Drive, 905-306-6000, livingartscentre.ca $

24- April 2 58th National Hydrant Championship. Hosted by The Southern Ontario Fire Fighters Curling Association. Dixie Curling Club, 3071 Palstan Road, 905-336-5346, cffca.ca/upcofra.html $ 🏆

25 Glorious Winds. Mississauga Symphony Orchestra features soloists in an eclectic selection of wind concertos. Living Arts Centre, 4141 Living Arts Drive, 905-306-6000, mississaugasymphony.ca $

25 Stephen Fearing. Juno-winning artist, and one of Canada's foremost performing singer-songwriters. Living Arts Centre, 4141 Living Arts Drive, 905-306-6000. mississaugasymphony.ca $

25-26 International Spring Motorcycle Show. International Centre, 6900 Airport Road, 905-677-6131, motorcyclespringshow.com $

30 NBA D-League Raptors 905 vs Windy City Bulls. Last Regular Season Home Game. Hershey Centre, 5500 Rose Cherry Place, 905-502-9100, hersheycentre.com $ 🏆

APRIL

1 André-Philippe Gagnon. Canada's man of 400 voices borrows the voices of famous vocalists for a night of music, comedy and creativity. Living Arts Centre, 4141 Living Arts Drive, 905-306-6000, livingartscentre.ca $

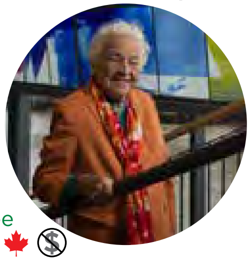
4 Jabber. Geordie Productions' best-selling high school show tells the story of 16-year-old Fatima, the only girl in her class who wears a hijab. Meadowvale Theatre, 6315 Montevideo Road, 905-615-4720, meadowvaletheatre.ca $

5 "The Kite Runner" by Khaled Hosseini. This stage presentation of Young Audiences New York's Literature to Life® portrays young protagonist Amir's journey of friendship and betrayal in a divided society. Living Arts Centre, 4141 Living Arts Drive, 905-306-6000, livingartscentre.ca $

7 Little Yarn Stories. Tailored to young audiences, age 2 to 5, Catch Puzzle Theatre uses yarn to bring creatures to life. Meadowvale Theatre, 6315 Montevideo Road, 905-615-4720, meadowvaletheatre.ca $

7-8 The Foursome. A Galahad Theatre Production written by Norm Foster, this comic play follows Rick, Ted, Donnie, and Cameron home for their 15th college reunion. Living Arts Centre, 4141 Living Arts Drive, 905-306-6000, livingartscentre.ca $

12–26 "Do Your Homework" Hazel McCallion. An exhibition that highlights moments in the life of the legendary Hazel McCallion. See page 63 for details. 🍁 ⊘$



15 FIRST Robotics Ontario Provincial Championship. Come see the 'Bots! Students showcase their design and engineering skills in Canada's largest high school robotics competition. Hershey Centre, 5500 Rose Cherry Place, 905-502-9100, firstroboticscanada.org ⊘$ 🏆

FIRST
FIRST

Art Gallery of Mississauga presents The Family Camera Project, presented in partnership with the Royal Ontario Museum, and Annie MacDonnell.
March 2 – April 16, 2017
300 City Centre Drive,
905-896-5088,
artgalleryofmississauga.com ($)

22 Harlem Globetrotters 2017 World Tour. Two shows, at 2 p.m. and 7 p.m. Hershey Centre, 5500 Rose Cherry Place, 905-502-9100, hersheycentre.com $

29 Carmen. Mississauga Symphony Orchestra debuts its first fully staged opera with this presentation of Bizet's classic exotic drama. Living Arts Centre, 4141 Living Arts Drive, 905-306-6000, mississaugasymphony.ca $

MAY

4 April Wine. Enjoy the music of a Canadian classic-rock icon and hit anthems from the 70s, 80s and beyond. Living Arts Centre, 4141 Living Arts Drive, 905-306-6000, livingartscentre.ca $

5 Improv All-Stars by The Second City. Creative comics battle for laughs as the audience determines how the action will unfold. Meadowvale Theatre, 6315 Montevideo Road, 905-615-4720, meadowvaletheatre.ca $

5–6 Mississauga Marathon Runner's Expo. The check-in point for registered participants welcomes the public to visit the runner-oriented exhibits. Port Credit Memorial Arena, 40 Stavebank Road North, mississaugamarathon.com ($)

($) Free
$ Ticketed Event
🏆 Competitive Event
TO Tourism Toronto member

6 Alice in Wonderland. Adapted from the humour and madness of Lewis Carroll's novel, each book becomes a door to the next adventure. Living Arts Centre, 4141 Living Arts Drive, 905-306-6000, livingartscentre.ca $

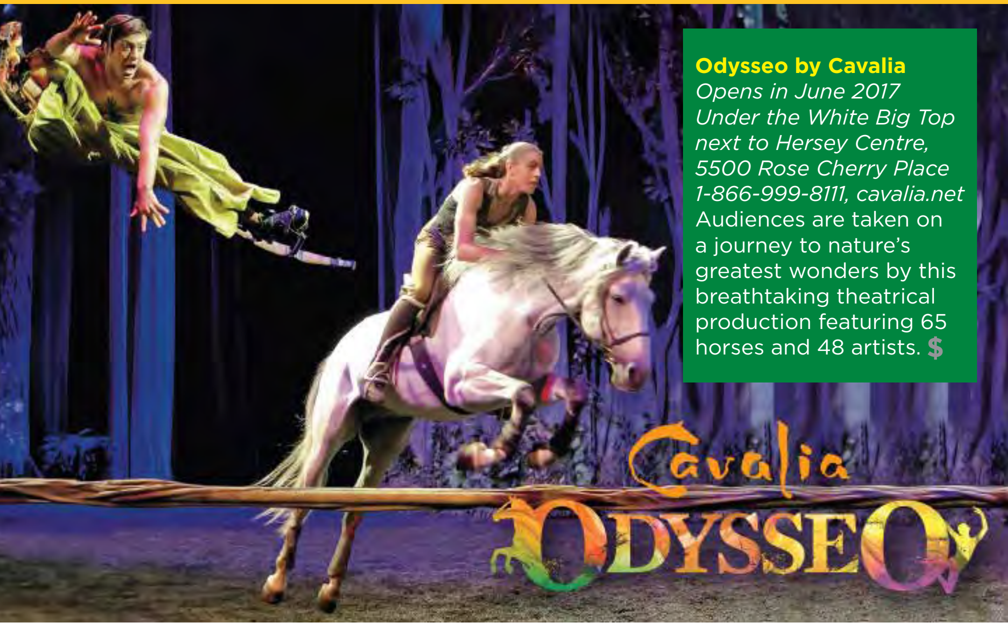
MISSISSAUGA MARATHON
FULL MARATHON
HALF MARATHON

7 2017 Mississauga Marathon. This fun day offers a run for everyone, including the Full Marathon, Sal Guzzo, LL.B. Relay Challenge, Half Marathon, MNP 10KM, 10KM Student Relay, The Hazel 5K, and a 2K Fun Run/Walk, mississaugamarathon.com 🏆

19-22 Umbro Top Rated Invitational Soccer College Showcase Tournament. Discover up-and-coming players at Canada's top showcase, hosted by the Dixie Soccer Club. Iceland Soccer Centre, 705 Matheson Boulevard East, and other venues. umbrotopratedshowcase.com 🏆

20 Mississauga Halal Food Festival. This unique event showcases the very best in Halal food featuring over 50 food, clothing, and jewelry vendors. Celebration Square, 300 City Centre Drive, celebrationsquare.ca ($)

The fishing season starts in May and runs until about late fall! See page 42 for top fishing ideas!



Odysseo by Cavalia
Opens in June 2017
Under the White Big Top
next to Hersey Centre,
5500 Rose Cherry Place
1-866-999-8111, cavalia.net
Audiences are taken on a journey to nature's greatest wonders by this breathtaking theatrical production featuring 65 horses and 48 artists. $

22 Pep Rally. Noon to 4 p.m. Kick off summer season at the Square's Pep Rally with high energy performances, kids activities and more. Celebration Square, 300 City Centre Drive, celebrationsquare.ca ⊘

26–28 Carassauga, Festival of Cultures. Carassauga is the largest multicultural festival in Ontario, showcasing more than 70 countries. Taste exotic foods, see breathtaking performances, and experience cultural diversity. Pavilions in various locations throughout Mississauga, including Hershey Sports Zone, 5600 Rose Cherry Place, 905-615-3010, carassauga.com $ TO

⊘ Free
$ Ticketed Event
🏆 Competitive Event
TO Tourism Toronto member

26–28 Art Fest Port Credit. More than 100 artists and artisans feature pottery, glass, jewelry, paintings, woodwork, gourmet foods, music, children's art classes and more. Port Credit Memorial Park, 40 Stavebank Road, 705-293-2787, artfestontario.com/portcredit ⊘

27 National Public Works Week Family Fun Day. Celebration Square, 300 City Centre Drive, celebrationsquare.ca ⊘

27 Roman Festival by Mississauga Symphony Orchestra. A tribute to the music, composers and festivals of Rome. Living Arts Centre, 4141 Living Arts Drive, 905-306-6000. mississaugasymphony.ca $

28 Buddha's Birthday Celebration. Experience South East Asian song, dance, and food at this celebration of the birth, enlightenment and death of the Buddha. Celebration Square, 300 City Centre Drive, celebrationsquare.ca ⊘

31 All The Best: Frank Sinatra Tribute. Join the Toronto All-Star Big Band for an extraordinary musical experience. Meadowvale Theatre, 6315 Montevideo Road, 905-615-4720, meadowvaletheatre.ca $

JUNE

2–4 Streetsville Founders' Bread and Honey Festival. Held in Streetsville Memorial Park, a natural amphitheater site of 30 acres on the beautiful Credit River. Fun for everyone includes live music, carnival rides, fabulous food vendors and more. 335 Church Street, breadandhoney.ca $

2–4 Credit Village in Water Boat Show. Walk the docks to see new and used sailboats and powerboats, browse marine supply vendors, and mingle with old salts. Credit Village Marina, 12 Stavebank Road, portcreditspringboatshow.com $

3–4 Mississauga Dragon Boat Festival. Enjoy the action at Mississauga's flagship dragon boat event, a fun way to spend a day by the water in beautiful Port Credit. Paddlers qualify here for the Canadian National Championships. 27 Front Street North, mississaugacanoeclub.com 🏆

4 2017 Scotiabank Bed Race Picnic & Family Fun Day. Witness the spirit of competition in action all in support of Trillium Health Partners. Enjoy music, performers and family fun! Celebration Square, 300 City Centre Drive, trilliumgiving.ca ⊘

10 Mississauga Polish Day. The vibrant culture of Poland is celebrated through food, song and dance. Celebration Square, 300 City Centre Drive, mississaugapolishday.ca ⊘

10–11 Hockey Night in Canada: Play On 4 on 4. Street hockey for all ages in various locations including Hershey Centre, Mississauga SportZone and Rose Cherry Boulevard, playon.ca 🏆

16–18 Mississauga Waterfront Festival. Held every Father's Day weekend, enjoy concerts, a kids' stage, Family Fun Village, Heritage Stage, vendors, crafters, petting zoo, buskers, sports zone, carnival, water-ski shows and more. 20 Lakeshore Road East, 905-891-0002, themwf.com ⊘ TO

17 Mississauga Ukrainian Festival. Fun for the whole family, this festival features non-stop entertainment on the main stage, food, crafts, and historic displays. Celebration Square, 300 City Centre Drive, ukrainianfestival.com ⊘

18 Malton Community Festival. Come and hang out with friends in the community to enjoy fun activities for the entire family! Paul Coffey Park, 3430 Derry Road East, maltonfestival.ca ⊘

23-24 Irie Music Festival. Local artists and international guest stars perform to celebrate Caribbean, African and Latin American cultures. Celebration Square, 300 City Centre Drive, iriemusicfestival.com ⊘

OH YEAH, CANADA!

CANADA 150

Today, July 1 – and all year long!

Look for the 🍁 and celebrate with us

mississauga.ca/canada150

JULY

1 Canada Day. Celebrate Canada's 150th birthday in style! With family activities, spectacular shows, and chart-topping artists, this promises to be our biggest fête ever. Cap the night off at our fireworks finale. Celebration Square, 300 City Centre Drive, celebrationsquare.ca 🍁 ⊘

1 Malton Celebrates Canada Day. Family friendly fun with lots of entertainment and fireworks. Westwood Square, 7205 Goreway Drive, maltonbia.com 🍁 ⊘

1 Canada Day Together. Celebrate Canada Day in the Meadows: A full day of family fun and fireworks. Churchill Meadows Community Common, canadadaytogether.ca 🍁 ⊘

1 Streetsville Canada Day. Fun for the whole family including cake and fireworks. Streetsville Village Square, 1–9 Main Street, villageofstreetsville.com 🍁 ⊘

1-2 Paint the Town Red. Two full days of celebrations starting with a Canada Day Parade along Lakeshore Road. Festivities and fireworks continue at Port Credit Memorial Park. Port Credit, paintthetownred.ca 🍁 ⊘

1 – Aug. 19 The Great Ontario Salmon Derby 2017. Want to catch the big one? Sponsored by the Toronto Star, this 21st annual derby is North America's largest freshwater fishing derby and takes place in the Canadian waters of Lake Ontario. greatontariosalmonderby.ca $ 🏆 TO

Get back to nature and check out Canada's largest collections of rhododendrons and azaleas at Brueckner Rhododendron Garden. ***See page 35***

7, 14, 21, 28 Rotary Movies in the Park. Fridays, at sunset, bring your lawn chair and blankets and enjoy family friendly films. Port Credit Memorial Park, 40 Stavebank Road, rotarymovienights.com ⊘

8-9 Fiesta ng Kalayaan. Join this Celebration of Freedom fun for the whole family. Celebration Square, 300 City Centre Drive, fiestangkalayaan.ca ⊘

9, 16, 23, 30 Sunset Concert Series. Bring your lawn chair and blankets for fresh-air performances, Sunday evenings at 6:30. Port Credit Memorial Park, 40 Stavebank Road, portcredit.com ⊘

13-16 Special Olympics Ontario Provincial Summer Games Huron Park 830 Paisley Boulevard West Dunton Athletic Fields, 6180 Kennedy Road specialolympics2017games.com 905-453-2121 ext:4117 Athletes range in age from 8-80 and compete in 18 core sports. $ 🏆

13-16 Amacon Mississauga Rotary Ribfest. This 4-day festival is back for lip-smacking, greasy-fingered fun. Celebration Square, 300 City Centre Drive, mississaugaribfest.com $

⊘	Free
$	Ticketed Event
🏆	Competitive Event
TO	Tourism Toronto member
🍁	Canada 150 Event

13-21 North American Roller Hockey Championships. The east coast finals. Hershey Centre, 5500 Rose Cherry Place, 760-889-6909, narch.com $ 🏆

21-23 #BollywoodMonster Mashup. Join in the largest South Asian festival in Canada. Experience music, dance, art, film, comedy and kids' stuff in a cross-cultural, Bollywood experience. Mississauga Celebration Square, 300 City Centre Drive, bollywoodmonstermashup.com ⊘

23 Tri-Fun Kids Triathlon. A race day full of fun, inspiration and smiles for kids ages 3 to 11. Huron Park, 830 Paisley Boulevard West, trifunkids.com 🏆

29-30 Mississauga LATIN Festival Celebrates Canada's 150th Anniversary. Celebrate Canada the Latin way with VIVA L.A.S CANADA, a special performance highlighting contributions made to Canada by Latin-American people. Celebration Square, 300 City Centre Drive, celebrationsquare.ca 🍁 ⊘

AUGUST

4, 11, 25 Rotary Movies in the Park. Fridays at sunset, bring your family and friends to enjoy free movies under the stars. Port Credit Memorial Park, 40 Stavebank Road, rotarymovienights.com ⊘

5–6 MuslimFest 2017. MuslimFest is an annual festival celebrating the best in Muslim arts, culture and entertainment. Celebration Square, 300 City Centre Drive, muslimfest.com ⊘

6, 13, 27 Sunset Concert Series. Bring your lawn chair and blankets for fresh-air performances, Sunday evenings at 6:30. Port Credit Memorial Park, 40 Stavebank Road, portcredit.com ⊘

11-12 Mosaic 2017 – South Asian Festival of Mississauga. This multi-disciplinary arts festival presents dance, music, and Bollywood. The independent music festival, Rock the Coliseum, is back this year. Celebration Square, 300 City Centre Drive, communityart.ca $⃠

18-19 Mississauga ITALFEST™ – Ferragosto in the City. A celebration of Italian arts, history, landscape, food, music, and traditions. Celebration Square, 300 City Centre Drive, mississaugaitalfest.com $⃠

18–20 Port Credit Busker Fest. International performers, continuous shows and non-stop action in multiple sites across Port Credit by the Lake. Port Credit Memorial Park and Village, Lakeshore Road East, portcredit.com $⃠

26-27 Japan Festival CANADA 2017. The largest Japanese festival in the GTA that celebrates Japanese foods, culture and technology. Celebration Square, 300 City Centre Drive, japanfestivalmississauga.com $⃠

Enjoy live music at the annual SoundBites concert in Celebration Square.

SEPTEMBER

2 SoundBites. Wrap up the summer season with a massive food truck rally and an unforgettable concert. Celebration Square, 300 City Centre Drive, celebrationsquare.ca $⃠

8–10 Tim Horton Southside Shuffle Blues & Jazz Festival. A musical Mardi Gras, featuring Canadian and international musicians throughout the village. 20 Lakeshore Road East and various locations. southsideshuffle.ca $ $⃠ TO

Japan Festival CANADA 2017

Photo: Bill Griffin

16–23 2017 J/24 World Sailing Championships. Welcome sailors! Ninety teams and 450 top international sailors compete in five days of racing on Lake Ontario. Port Credit Yacht Club, 112 Lakefront Promenade, 2017j24worlds.org 🏆

Art Gallery of Mississauga presents Bonnie Devine
September 7 – October 22, 2017
300 City Centre Drive,
905-896-5088,
artgalleryofmississauga.com ⊘

⊘ Free
$ Ticketed Event
🏆 Competitive Event
TO Tourism Toronto member

17 Tour de Sauga. Tour de Sauga turns 10! Register for 1 of 6 rides and discover Mississauga by bike. Celebration Square, 300 City Centre Drive, tourdesauga.ca $

Haunted Mississauga
Courtesy Steve Uhraney/Mississauga News

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Subscribe to our eBlast and be the first to know about events and special offers happening in Mississauga. **discovermississauga.ca/subscribe/visitor**

17 **Art in the Park**. Local artists and artisans showcase and sell unique works of art in the historic MacEwan Barn and lawn, MacEwan Historic House, and Visual Arts Mississauga's Art Centre studios. 4170 Riverwood Park Lane, 905-277-4313, visualartsmississauga.com ⊘

23 **Earth Market**. Your one-stop shop for environmental exhibitions, film screenings, workshops, local vendors, food, music and other great activities that celebrate our planet. Celebration Square, 300 City Centre Drive, celebrationsquare.ca ⊘

⊘ Free
$ Ticketed Event
🏆 Competitive Event
TO Tourism Toronto member
🍁 Canada 150 Event

OCTOBER

1 **CIBC Run For The Cure**. University of Toronto Mississauga Campus, 3359 Mississauga Road North, cibcrunforthecure.com 🏆

13 **Haunted Mississauga**. Heritage Spirit tour with a special focus on Canada's Confederation with a team of actors and tour guides who will bring the past to life. Trinity Anglican Cemetery, 26 Stavebank Road, 905-828-8411, heritagemississauga.com $ 🍁

13–14 **Diwali RazMatazz**. The festival weekend celebrating Diwali kicks off with concerts and dance performances. Celebration Square, 300 City Centre Drive, diwalirazzmatazz.com $ 🍁

29 **Halloween in the House**! A Spooky Sesquitennial Celebration, noon – 4 p.m., Benares Historic House, 1507 Clarkson Road North, mississaugaculture.ca/museum ⊘

NOVEMBER

25 **Light Up the Square**. Join Santa and Mayor Crombie as we set Celebration Square and its tree alight for the first time of the year. With winter treats and entertainment, Light up the Square is sure to warm your spirits as the temperature drops. Celebration Square, 300 City Centre Drive, celebrationsquare.ca 🚫

24-26 **Christmas in the Village Weekend in Streetsville**. Bring the family and enjoy a Christmas Market, Santa Claus Parade & Santa's Village Activities for the little ones. Queen Street South and Main Street, streetsvillechristmasinthevillage.com 🚫

27–Dec. 2 **World Ringette Championships**. Junior and Senior national teams compete for the world title in high performance ringette. Iceland Mississauga, 705 Matheson Boulevard, ringette.ca/events/world-ringette-championships 🏆

DECEMBER

2 **Paws & Mr. Claus**. Pet Photos with Santa, noon to 4 p.m., Log Cabin at the Bradley Museum, 1620 Orr Road, mississaugaculture.ca/museums

9 **Historic Canadian Christmas**. Noon to 4 p.m., Bradley Museum, 1620 Orr Road, mississaugaculture.ca/museums

31 **New Year's Eve Celebration** 8 p.m.–Midnight. Countdown to 2018 at Celebration Square! Ring in the New Year with high energy performances by international recording artists, grab a bite to eat from one of the many delicious food trucks, and enjoy an explosive fireworks show at midnight. Celebration Square, 300 City Centre Drive, celebrationsquare.ca 🚫

Art Gallery of Mississauga presents: Libby Hague
November 2, 2017 – January 1, 2018 300 City Centre Drive, 905-896-5088
artgalleryofmississauga.com 🚫

Our VILLAGE ROOTS Shape HISTORY

As we mark Canada and Ontario's 150th year, explore how Mississauga's thriving villages have influenced our national history – from fur trade to jet age

CLARKSON

clarksonbia.com

The oldest of our village communities, Clarkson was once known as the **Strawberry Capital of Ontario** in the early 20th century. Founded in 1808, this is where you'll find historic treasures including the Bradley Museum (built in 1830) and the Benares Historic House (opened in 1857).

COOKSVILLE

Established around 1809, Cooksville became the centre of an early entrepreneurial empire. It was site of **Canada's first vineyard** in the early 1800s, and the nation's biggest brick and tile business in the 1940s. Almost hidden around the busy intersection of Dundas and Hurontario Street are remnants of Cooksville's pioneer past.

DIXIE

The little village of Dixie revelled as a place of worship and agricultural centre. The community was **originally dubbed "Irishtown" for early immigrants who settled here**. It became a prosperous garden community, known for the produce and fruit markets along the Dundas Highway in the 1950s.

"***Mississauga***" is an Ojibwa word meaning "***River of the North of Many Mouths***"

ERINDALE

The little community of Erindale Village goes back to the early 1820s. In 1828, The Grange, known as **the Robinson-Adamson House, was built for Sir John Beverley Robinson, the first Chief Justice of Upper Canada**. Today, the building is home to Heritage Mississauga.

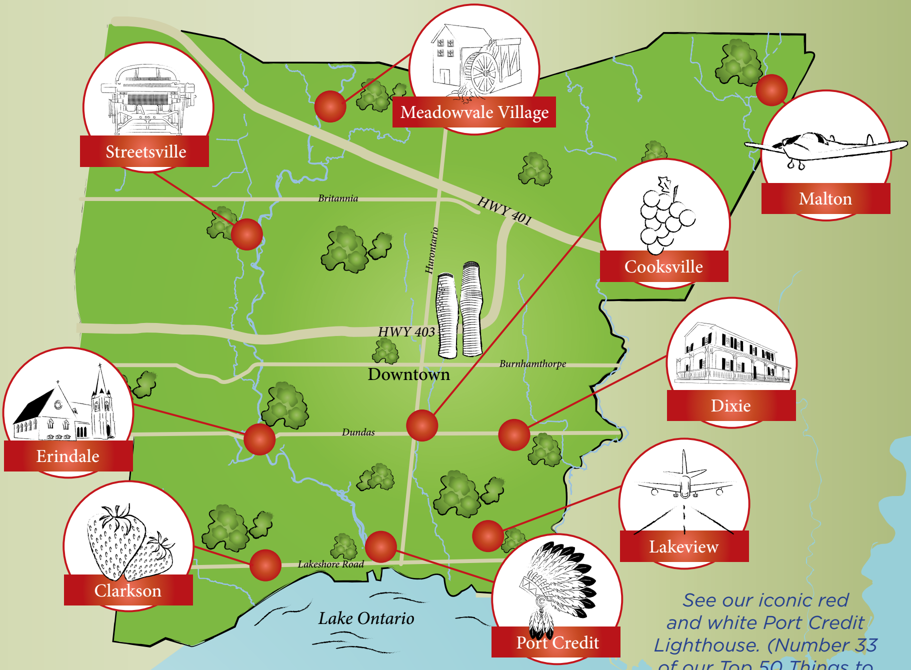
LAKEVIEW

In the early 1900s this area was largely rural, but soon became designated as site of **Canada's first airport in 1915, and base for the first flying units of the Royal Flying Corps**. In wartime, the Federal government obtained large tracts of Lakefront land used for military purposes including armaments manufacturing, weapons training and barracks. In the 1930s, Campbell's Soup Company opened a factory here, a boon for tomato farmers.

MALTON

maltonbia.com

Originally a farming community established in 1819, this area literally took flight in the 1940s with the construction of Malton Airport– predecessor to today's Toronto Pearson International Airport. By the 1950s it was home to the **largest airline manufacturer in the British Commonwealth**, A.V. Roe Canada. It built the famed Avro Arrow, the most advanced jet of its day.


Streetsville
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Malton
Britannia
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Dundas
Lakeview
Clarkson
Lakeshore Road
Lake Ontario
Port Credit

A glance at where Mississauga villages lay.

See our iconic red and white Port Credit Lighthouse. (Number 33 of our Top 50 Things to see and do! See page 40.)

MEADOWVALE VILLAGE

Designated as Ontario's first Heritage Conservation District, a walk through Meadowvale Village reveals unique architectural reminders of the past and the residents who left their mark here: streetscapes seem frozen in time thanks to great preservation efforts. Built on a tradition of milling, it became a village in 1836, achieving prosperity.

PORT CREDIT

Located at the mouth of the Credit River, this site was **well travelled during the fur trade and exchange of goods conducted by the Ojibwa** now known as the Mississaugas of the New Credit First Nation. Port Credit thrived thanks to its excellent harbour, and a village plan was laid out in 1834. Among industries, a stonehooking trade culled stones used in buildings in Toronto.

STREETSVILLE

villageofstreetsville.com

Look for "Montreal House," at 210 Queen Street South, Mississauga's oldest commercial building, opened here as a trading post in 1821. Industrious entrepreneurs built vast grist and woolen mills nearby, including **Canada's first power loom producing fine tweed**. The annual Streetsville Founders Bread and Honey Festival held in June tributes the flour mills in the village's past.

Get one of Heritage Mississauga's free self-guided Heritage Tour brochures. Download online, or pick up print copies at The Grange [Map ID #18].

→maps for self-guided tours
heritagemississauga.com/page/Heritage-Tours

New Spiritual Sanctuary

A traditional sweat lodge and healing garden gives an authentic glimpse into enduring indigenous customs

Situated on the traditional territory of the Mississaugas of the New Credit, our indigenous roots contribute greatly to the unique story of Mississauga.

Today you can visit a traditional sweat lodge on the grounds of the Bradley Museum in Clarkson Village—a special place where sacred customs and ceremonies can enrich a new generation.

The lodge was the first built in Mississauga in over a century, as a partnership between the city and the Peel Aboriginal Network (PAN), a friendship centre that supports the region's indigenous community.

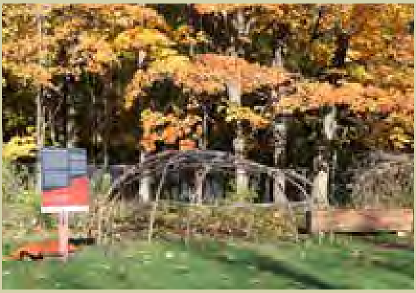
It's a place where the Indigenous community can conduct traditional ceremonies, and visitors have the opportunity to learn more about traditional ways of wellness and healing.

"Part of our responsibility is to preserve our knowledge and teachings by providing space in Mississauga to share our traditions and culture," said Kris Noakes, President of PAN.

In addition to the sweat lodge, a healing garden on site shares the teachings of the medicine wheel and the four medicines considered sacred by the community: cedar, sweet grass, tobacco, and sage.

Sacred structure *A sweat lodge ceremony forms part of the traditions of many First Nations, and may be conducted in different ways to seek healing or guidance. The structure is dome-shaped—representing the womb of Mother Earth—and constructed with sapling branches.*

Bradley Museum [Map ID #13]

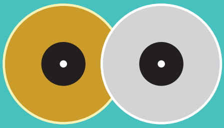


mississauga:
culture at a glance

2.3 Million

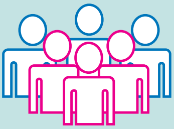
City funding for culture

7 Performing **arts** theatres



Hot Shots

Originally the creative workspace for legendary supergroup Triumph, Metalworks Studios on Mavis Road has recorded Gold & Platinum artists including Drake, Prince, Nelly Furtado and dozens more.



400,000

Visitors to the Living Arts Centre

6 Public **art** galleries

3 City-owned museums

600,000

Annual visitors to celebration square

1,028 Days

of on-location filming (2015)

5 familiar TV and movie scenes

SAVING HOPE:
TV show uses Living Arts Centre as backdrop for the hospital

NIKITA:
scenes shot in familiar spots like Celebration Square and City Hall

BIG BROTHER CANADA:
debut season took place in a converted office at 5101 Orbitor Drive

ENEMY:
spot Jake Gyllenhal near the "Marilyn Monroe" towers

CARRIE:
the 2003 movie remake was shot using a house in the Lakeview neighbourhood

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discovermississauga.ca/see-and-do

OUR TOP 50

Photo: The Cold Pressery (Page 53)

SQUARE ONE • SQUARE ONE •
CINEPLEX CINEMAS

Why not try something new today?

Check out one or two — or 50 — of these fabulous Mississauga services, venues and attractions that locals love and visitors come back to enjoy time and time again.

ATTRACTIONS

It's playtime! Plan a fun day out with friends, introduce the family to a creative activity or take time to check out one of our city's iconic landmarks.

Use the map at the back of this book to see where each place is!

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1

AIR COMBAT ZONE

5170 Dixie Road | 905-602-4775
aircombatzone.com

Get behind the controls of a high-performance F/A-18 Hornet jet fighter. Air Combat Zone offers networked cockpit simulators so you can go it alone, fly as a team or take the ultimate challenge and experience head-to-head air combat.

2

♿ Ⓟ

CELEBRATION SQUARE

300 City Centre Drive
celebrationsquare.ca

Located in the heart of downtown Mississauga, Celebration Square is a favourite place to gather with friends and family for events, festivals, movie nights, or to watch the big game on the outdoor screens. Busy year-round, the Square also features an ice skating rink from late November through spring.

See page 8 for special events in Celebration Square

3

LASER QUEST

1224 Dundas Street East, Unit 9 | 905-272-8000
laserquest.com

More than a game... Laser Quest is an immersive family entertainment venue. From the time you receive your briefing and don your LQ pack and laser, you'll experience an exhilarating experience featuring specialty lighting, swirling fog, and energetic music to add to the excitement.

4

♿ Ⓟ ➤ TO

OLD CREDIT BREWING CO. LTD

6 Queen Street West | 905-271-9888
oldcreditbrewing.com

Located in the heart of Port Credit, Old Credit Brewing Co. crafts a quality Amber Ale, Pale Pilsner and Holiday Honey. Visit the facility to experience a new taste of an old tradition, and inquire about the newly renovated upstairs facility for your next event.

5

TO

PAINTBALL NATION

6200 Ordan Drive | 905-795-8866
paintballnation.ca

The perfect indoor location to host a group or team event or for walk-in play with friends. This venue can accommodate groups of up to 130 and has plenty of free parking.

♿	Accessible	➤	Tours available
Ⓟ	Parking	TO	Tourism Toronto member

Johnny Bower

Coming to the Square summer 2017, visit **Legends Row** *– Mississauga's "Walk of Fame". Induction into Legends Row is the highest honour a resident, or former resident, can receive in the city.* More at **legendsrow.ca**

6

Ⓟ TO

PLAYDIUM

99 Rathburn Road West | 905-273-9000
playdium.com

The ultimate high-tech family entertainment centre features interactive and physical games, rides and sports simulators, go-karts, mini-golf, nine variable-speed batting cages, and Water Wars. Bonus: the new Spin Zone Bumper Cars and MaxFlight Roller Coaster Simulator.

7

Ⓟ TO

SKY ZONE INDOOR TRAMPOLINE PARK

3636 Hawkestone Road | 905-306-9898
skyzone.com/mississauga

Sky Zone Trampoline Park boasts 15,000 square feet of all-trampoline walled playing courts. Play 3-D dodgeball, defy gravity in open jump, or leap into our massive foam pit! We host groups, parties and events. Our unique combination of fun and fitness is perfect for all ages!

8

♿ ➤

STREETSVILLE VILLAGE SQUARE

1–9 Main Street | 905-858-5974
villageofstreetsville.com

Streetsville's newest outdoor public space is the recently revitalized Streetsville Village Square. This vibrant town square is a natural gathering place to catch up with friends and enjoy free entertainment and events scheduled regularly through the year.

9

♿ Ⓟ TO

uFLY SIMULATOR

6-1535 Meyerside Drive | 905-565-0197
uflysimulator.ca

Fly a unique 777 jet airline simulator with a 180-degree, HD field of view. You can be a pilot!

Play & dine! See page 48 for hot spots to eat

GALLERIES & MUSEUMS

See, learn, and be inspired by something new and unexpected any day of the week in Mississauga's galleries and museums. You'll find unique places that embrace forward-looking artists and a rich heritage.

♿ Ⓟ ➤

ART GALLERY OF MISSISSAUGA

300 City Centre Drive | 905-896-5088
artgalleryofmississauga.com

First. New. Next. This public, not-for-profit art gallery presents important works from a range of periods and movements in Canadian art. Expressing multiple ideas and concepts, this visual art translates into meaningful cultural and social experiences for all visitors. *Admission is free.* See the events section for exhibition dates.

♿ Ⓟ ➤ TO

BENARES HISTORIC HOUSE

1507 Clarkson Road North | 905-615-4860 ext. 2110
museumsofmississauga.com

With more than 165 years of history, tour this exquisite Georgian style estate and Visitor Centre. Benares Historic House includes an Exhibition Gallery with rotating exhibitions and displays that tell the story of the people that lived here before us.

Ⓟ ➤

BLACKWOOD GALLERY

3359 Mississauga Road North | 905-828-3789
blackwoodgallery.ca

This gallery at University of Toronto Mississauga presents contemporary works of local, national, and international artists. Its two main locations are in the Kaneff Centre, and the e|gallery, in the Communication, Culture, and Information Technology Building (CCT).

♿ Ⓟ ➤ TO

BRADLEY MUSEUM

1620 Orr Road | 905-615-4860 ext. 2110
museumsofmississauga.com

The two-acre Bradley Museum is located on the edge of Lake Ontario, has accessible nature trails, connects to the Waterfront Bike Trail and is within walking distance of the Rattray Marsh.

♿ Ⓟ ➤ TO

LIVING ARTS CENTRE GALLERY

4141 Living Arts Drive | 905-306-6000; 1-888-805-8888
livingartscentre.ca

A multi-use facility, the Living Arts Centre Gallery includes a Resident Artist Program as well as The Gallery Space with a rotating schedule of exhibitions. The mandate of the gallery is to nurture, foster, encourage and support the growth of artists within the Mississauga community.

♿ Accessible
Ⓟ Parking
➤ Tours available
TO Tourism Toronto member

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♿ Ⓟ ➤

LESLIE LOG HOUSE

4415 Mississauga Road | 905-615-4860
museumsofmississauga.com

The Leslie Log House has been conserved as an example of early nineteenth century architecture and the lifestyle led by Mississauga's pioneer settlers. Home to the archives of the Streetsville Historical Society, the main floor features seasonal exhibits and programming.

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♿ Ⓟ

MUSIC WALK OF FAME

Port Credit Memorial Park | 40 Stavebank Road
musicwalkoffame.ca

This must-see attraction recognizes the amazing musical talents who are part of Mississauga history, their names forever engraved in granite plaques. Inductees include: Billy Talent, punk-pop band; Jeff Healey, guitarist/ vocalist; Tommy Hunter, country music Legend; Rik Emmett, Triumph guitarist; Ronnie Hawkins, legendary rocker; and Oscar Peterson, jazz pianist.

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RUMI GALLERIES

Woodland Avenue | 905-274-3616
rumigalleries.com

Enjoy the largest historical and contemporary Canadian art gallery in Mississauga. Focus is divided between 20th century Canadian, American and European artists during the post war period.

Use the map at the back of this book to see where each place is!

Explore Mississauga's Indigenous roots at the **Indigenous Sweat Lodge and Healing Garden at Bradley Museum**. *You will learn about traditional ways of wellness and healing. The garden brings together the teachings of the medicine Wheel and four sacred medicines, explained Kris Noake, President of the Peel Aboriginal Network (PAN).*

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HERITAGE RESOURCE CENTRE – THE GRANGE

1921 Dundas Street West | 905-828-8411
heritagemississauga.com

The centre documents the rich history and heritage of Mississauga and provides heritage resources, research assistance and services. Heritage Mississauga also features exhibit space in the Discovery Centre Gallery, used by community artists and heritage organizations. See the website for events.

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THE SIKH HERITAGE MUSEUM OF CANADA

2980 Drew Road #125 | 416-587-5498
shmca.ca

This museum is dedicated to advancing and promoting knowledge, understanding, and preservation of the cultural and religious life of Sikh history and culture. Features include museum exhibits, lectures and special programs.

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VISUAL ARTS MISSISSAUGA

4170 Riverwood Park Lane | 905-277-4313
visualartsmississauga.com

Sign up for an art class or workshop from VAM's wide selection of visual arts programming for youth and adults. The arts centre hosts exhibitions and events through the year including the Annual Juried Show (January), Members' Show & Sale (March), Children's Art Celebration (June), Art in the Park (September) and the Holiday Artisan Marketplace (November). See website for dates.

Use the map at the back of this book to see where each place is!

➔find special offers at discovermississauga.ca/special-offers

Rather "see and do" retail?

Check out all the fabulous shops, malls, specialty stores, and main streets of Mississauga, where it's easy to spend a day in our great indoors.
See the Shop section on page 58

GARDENS, PARKS & TRAILS

Discover Mississauga's true nature in its many forms, from waterfront parks and natural woodlands to tranquil gardens and kid-friendly play areas. With more than 500 parks and 20 major trail systems to explore, our great outdoors welcomes you anytime of year.

→for more information on Mississauga's Parks, please visit mississauga.ca/parks or call 905-615-4100

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BRUECKNER RHODODENDRON GARDEN

660 Lakeshore Road West

See the beauty of one of Canada's largest collections of rhododendrons and azaleas in this 18-acre park near the shore of Lake Ontario. You can visit the garden any time of the year, with the seasonal floral display at its height from early May to the end of June.

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DAVID J. CULHAM TRAIL & RIVERWOOD

4300 Riverwood Park Lane

This multi-use trail includes natural and urban settings through its two sections: Dundas Street to Mississauga Road and Church Street to Velebit Court with links to University of Toronto Mississauga, Erindale Park, and Streetsville Memorial Park. It also leads to Riverwood, a 150-acre natural area home to Visual Arts Mississauga (VAM). (11.2 kilometres/7 miles)

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ERINDALE PARK

1695 Dundas Street West

A great destination for active outdoor activities year-round, from fishing for salmon or trout to flying down the fast toboggan hill in the winter. Walking trails offer spectacular views of the Credit River and ravines. Mississauga's largest park is inviting to bird watchers, photographers and anyone who enjoys getting back to nature.

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JACK DARLING MEMORIAL PARK

1180 Lakeshore Road West

Right on the waterfront, this large and diverse park is to enjoy any time of the year. It's a great place for families and individuals who want to spend time outdoors to explore. Take a dip in Lake Ontario or jump through the splash pad on a hot summer day. Then enjoy the park trails for an amazing scenic ambiance.

👍 *Mayor Crombie dubbed this a favourite place to jog.*

♿ Accessible	➤ Tours available
Ⓟ Parking	TO Tourism Toronto member

"Our" City Hall in Japan!

Insauga.com founder Khaled Iwamura gets a selfie in front of the replica ***Mississauga City Hall*** *in* ***Mississauga Park*** *in our sister city* ***Kariya, Japan****.*

*See "****Dine****" on page 48 for his local favourite places to eat. See the 'real' City Hall on our Downtown self guided tour (page 46).*

Photo: Khaled Iwamura

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KARIYA PARK JAPANESE GARDENS

3620 Kariya Drive

Like a tranquil lake of serenity in the heart of bustling Mississauga, Kariya Park lies calmly in the city core. You can easily get a glimpse of the iconic Civic Centre clock tower through the greenery. The rhododendrons, pines, gingko and sweetgum trees can all be found here. The beautiful lavender-hued *Iris laevigata*, or rabbit-ear Iris, is the official flower of the city of Kariya, Japan—Mississauga's sister city after which the park is named.

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LAKE AQUITAINE TRAIL & PARK

2688 Aquitaine Avenue

This multi-use trail runs south from Derry Road through the scenic Lake Aquitaine Park, an active recreational area that was developed around a storm water management lake. Pedestrian walkways fan from the trail through the neighbourhoods (3.4 kilometres/2 miles).

👍 *City Councillor Pat Saito calls this a favourite spot.*

♿ Accessible
Ⓟ Parking
➤ Tours available
TO Tourism Toronto member

GET OUTDOORS!
Explore more parks at
mississauga.ca/parks
to discover great places like Paul Coffey Park or Riverwood Park.
Don't miss out!

Coming Summer 2017, feel the magic at Paul Coffey Park with a new castle playground. Kids can let their imaginations run wild in the majestic castles.

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LAKEFRONT PROMENADE PARK

800 Lakefront Promenade

This expansive park is home to several boating centres including Lakefront Promenade Marina. It's also where you'll find Port Credit Yacht Club (PCYC), home to prestigious sailing races including the Lake Ontario 300 Challenge, the Susan Hood Trophy Race, and the Lake Ontario Short-Handed Racing Series.

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PORT CREDIT MEMORIAL PARK

40 Stavebank Road

Enjoy the oasis, serenity, and amenities in our waterfront parks. You can go sight seeing, play various sports, or simply enjoy a picnic with family, friends, and pets! Take part in seasonal events and activities or enjoy a nice stroll within the park. The natural heritage along our park's pathways and trails make for great hiking routes. Enjoy capturing nature's beauty at its finest with breathtaking views and vistas at this waterfront park.

Use the map at the back of this book to see where each place is!

Enjoy a game of beach volleyball at ***Lakefront Promenade Park****'s four newly built beach volley courts. The courts were built for the 2016 Ontario Summer Games, and now you too can enjoy the nets and give your spike a try.*

➔view trail maps
and more at
mississauga.ca/cycling

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RATTRAY MARSH CONSERVATION AREA

Walking access from:
50 Bexhill Road and 1180
Lakeshore Road West (Jack Darling Municipal Park)
Limited parking. *Fishing and cycling not permitted.

Just beyond Clarkson Village is the Rattray Marsh Conservation Area. As the last remaining lakefront marsh between Toronto and Burlington, this environmentally sensitive wetland offers a rare experience for nature lovers. It is home to a variety of wildlife and plants and a must-see for avid bird watchers, photographers and nature lovers.

Use the map at the back of this book to see where each place is!

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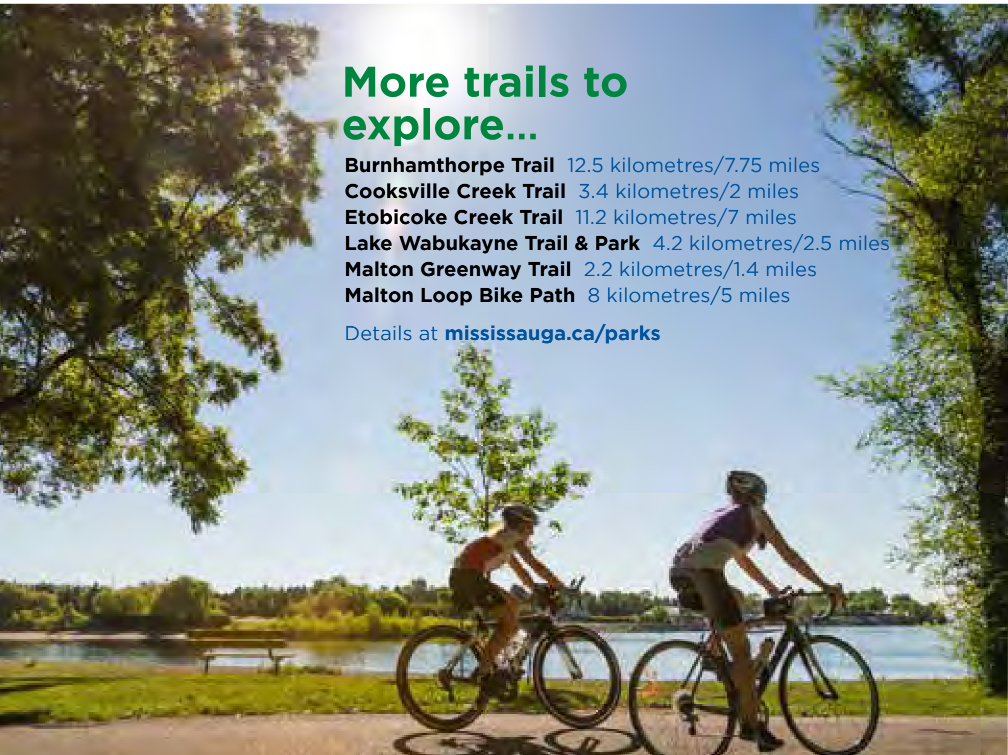
WATERFRONT TRAIL

Along Lake Ontario, from Winston Churchill Boulevard to Marie Curtis Park.
waterfronttrail.org/mississauga

Part of a 1,600-kilometre network that spans Canadian shores of the Great Lakes, Mississauga's portion of the Waterfront Trail runs parallel to Lake Ontario. It runs in a continuous trail through 22 parks, Port Credit Village, the Bradley Museum, and Rattray Marsh (one of the few remaining wetlands along Lake Ontario). To plan a walk, hike, or bike ride, see the Feature Trail map online.



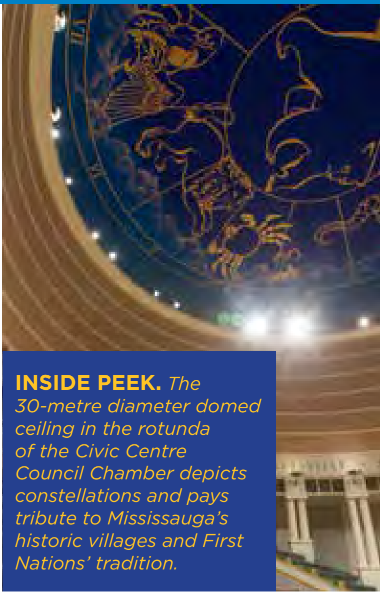
More trails to explore...

Burnhamthorpe Trail	12.5 kilometres/7.75 miles
Cooksville Creek Trail	3.4 kilometres/2 miles
Etobicoke Creek Trail	11.2 kilometres/7 miles
Lake Wabukayne Trail & Park	4.2 kilometres/2.5 miles
Malton Greenway Trail	2.2 kilometres/1.4 miles
Malton Loop Bike Path	8 kilometres/5 miles

Details at **mississauga.ca/parks**

LANDMARKS

Share your best selfie with the world when you visit and get in front of these iconic landmarks in #mississauga



INSIDE PEEK. *The 30-metre diameter domed ceiling in the rotunda of the Civic Centre Council Chamber depicts constellations and pays tribute to Mississauga's historic villages and First Nations' tradition.*

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CIVIC CENTRE

300 City Centre Drive

The award-winning post-modern architecture of the Mississauga Civic Centre, opened in 1987, includes design elements that pay tribute to the area's agricultural past: the main building represents a farmhouse, the Council Chamber represents a grain silo, and the clock tower a windmill.

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ABSOLUTE WORLD

(better known as "Marilyn Monroe Towers")
60 Absolute Avenue

Meet Marilyn: one of two Absolute World Condos soaring 56 and 50 storeys high; the tallest earned its nickname due to the design's curvaceous hourglass figure. The buildings were completed in 2012 following an international design competition. The unique 209-degree twist from the base to the top provides residents with unobstructed views of the city and beyond.

▸**Fun fact**: *The condos display lights or colours to celebrate landmark holidays or raise awareness of causes!*

Photo: Lane Dorsey

"Buen Amigo" or "Good Friend" by artist Francisco Gazitua animates the entrance to the development. The statue of three horses honours the past and present aspects of the intersection.

♿ Accessible
Ⓟ Parking
➤ Tours available
TO Tourism Toronto member

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PORT CREDIT LIGHTHOUSE

105 Lakeshore Road East
905-278-7742

See a panoramic view of the Credit River, harbour, and the village of Port Credit from the deck of this iconic red and white lighthouse. Home to the Port Credit Business Association, the structure is also a true beacon to sailors—visible from up to 15 miles on Lake Ontario.

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TORONTO PEARSON INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT (YYZ)

6301 Silver Dart Drive

Don't let the name fool you. Toronto Pearson International Airport is actually in Mississauga. If you like watching planes take off, Mississauga's Danville Park, located north of the 401, off Kennedy Road, is the place to be.

***YYZ** is the largest and busiest airport in the country with over 41 million passengers passing through each year.*

COOL CLUBS TO GO DANCING IN MISSISSAUGA

With far too many great bars and music clubs in Mississauga to possibly fit in our Top 50, here are a few current hotspots. Find all the latest at insauga.com/events/nightlife.

insauga.com

&COMPANY RESTO BAR

295 Enfield Place | 905-808-2112
andcompany.ca

Industrial-chic space, serving classic fare with a twist that transforms into a stylish nightclub. Check out details in our DINE section on page 54.

MY APARTMENT MISSISSAUGA

35 Brunel Road 2 & 3 | 905-712-2227
myapartmentbar.com

DJs spin a mix of popular music styles at this massive dance club with a party atmosphere.

SUGAR DADDY'S NIGHT CLUB

5165 Dixie Road | 905-602-4990
sugardaddysparty.com

Club with a massive dance floor & DJs spinning dancehall, hip-hop & R&B, plus curtained VIP areas.

BEST BARS FOR LIVE MUSIC

If dancing isn't your thing, you can bob your head from your seat at these top spots for live music.

STIR KITCHEN AND BEVERAGE CO.

10 Kingsbridge Garden Circle #101
289-232-7847 | stirkitchen.ca

Live music on Monday, Tuesday and Thursdays, enjoy the ambiance of the soft lighting and various wall mount fireplaces.

SHORE GRILL AND GROTTO

71 Lakeshore Road East | 905-271-9777
shoregrillandgrotto.ca

You'll enjoy a variety of musical talent seven nights a week from the dining room, lounge, bar or patio. It's a shore thing!

FAILTE IRISH PUB

201 City Centre Drive | 905-276-2212
failteirishpub.ca

Failte's (pronounced "falcha") tag line is "the home of live music since 1998" and has live entertainment every Friday and Saturday night and an Open Mic night on Thursdays.

SPAS

3 mind-blowing spa treatments you can get in Mississauga

CHOCOLATE MANICURE AT THE WATERSIDE INN
15 Stavebank Road South
watersideinn.ca
A mint and chocolate hand soak is followed by a warming chocolate strawberry fondue hand and arm scrub to exfoliate and soften the skin, then a massage, finished with a polish.

INFRARED SAUNA AT GLENERIN INN
1695 The Collegeway
thespaatglenerin.com
Take a step into a warm Infrared Sauna and enjoy the many benefits including detoxification, stress relief and more!

TEN MINUTE MANICURE AT TORONTO PEARSON
6301 Silver Dart Drive (Terminal 1, After-Security (Canada), level 2 Gates, Near gate D37).
10MINUTEMANICURE.com
Pamper yourself before you fly. Get a quick manicure before a business meeting, vacation, or family celebration.

SPORTS & LEISURE

For shopping fun see page 58

If you love the thrill of competition and thrive on maintaining an active lifestyle, Mississauga has your game. Run, hike, skate, sail, paddle, or cycle right this way to discover an exceptional range of sports and recreational facilities and outdoor activities.

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CREDIT VILLAGE MARINA

12 Stavebank Road | 905-615-4880

Credit Village Marina is located in the heart of Port Credit at the mouth of the Credit River, steps from the Village of Port Credit where you can shop, dine, and enjoy the old-fashioned town atmosphere. Or enjoy cycling and pedestrian trail, and picturesque parks.

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Use the map at the back of this book to see where each place is!

CREDIT RIVER FISHING

craa.on.ca

The Credit River is an impressive natural feature that defines Mississauga and runs through the heart of Ontario, emptying into Lake Ontario at Port Credit. The Credit boasts large runs of chinook salmon and steelhead as well as some coho salmon, and Atlantic salmon, making it the perfect place for fishing.

Popular fishing spots on the Credit River

36.a Erindale Park
1695 Dundas Street W.
Fish: salmon and trout

36.b J.C. Saddington Park
53 Lake Street
Fish: carp, salmon, trout
[TIP: Most people fish for salmon starting late August when fish start migrating up the river. Bass and catfish along the rocks there too!]

36.c Lake Wabukayne
150 Erin Mills Parkway
Fish: bass, trout, perch, sunfish and catfish

Call 905-615-4100 for park and fishing details.

♿	Accessible	➤	Tours available
Ⓟ	Parking	TO	Tourism Toronto member

Looking for restaurants? See page 48

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GOLF

BraeBen Golf Course

5700 Terry Fox Way | 905-615-4653
braeben.ca

Located on the highest point of land in Mississauga, BraeBen offers must-see vistas of the city. The 18-hole championship course and 9-hole Academy course are open to the public. Play a round or try out its newest sports of FootGolf and FlingGolf. Amenities include a driving range, pro shop and a 200-seat dining room.

Grand Highland Golf Club

376 Barondale Drive | 905-712-1183
golfcaledon.com

The course offers charming views of the cityscape and an ideal opportunity for anyone wanting to practice their short game or get in a quick morning or afternoon round.

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Lakeview Golf Course

1190 Dixie Road | 905-615-GOLF (4653)
lakeview.ca

Since 1907, Lakeview has been a community favourite and the Professional Golfers Association (PGA) Golf Professionals include it among their rankings of the Top 50 Ontario Golf Clubs. The picturesque course has twice hosted the Canadian Open and is designated as an Ontario Heritage site.

LAKE ONTARIO FISHING

Each year, thousands of sport fishing enthusiasts ply Lake Ontario's waters in search of Chinook and Coho Salmon. This area includes well-established populations of rainbow trout, brown trout and lake trout, and efforts are underway to reintroduce native Atlantic salmon. Charters can supply all the equipment and licensing you need to go fishing or provide a great way to see our city by the lake.

LOCAL CHARTERS

Andrew's Charter
Port Credit | 416-347-2143 | andrewscharter.ca

Salmon Express Lake Ontario
15 Front Street South | 416-931-7693 | salmonexpress.com

Unreel Charters
Port Credit Harbour Marina | 1 Port Street East Port Credit
905-965-3825 | unreelcharters.ca

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THE MISSISSAUGA CANOE CLUB & THE DON ROWING CLUB

25 and 27 Front Street North
905-275-2127 (Canoe Club) | 905-274-1871 (Rowing Club)
donrowingclub.ca

These two clubs on the western shore of the Credit River regularly welcome visitors to regattas and dragon boat racing events. An annual highlight is the Mississauga Dragon Boat Festival hosted by the Mississauga Canoe Club in June.

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THE MISSISSAUGA STEELHEADS

5500 Rose Cherry Place | 905-502-9100
mississaugasteelheads.com

The Mississauga Steelheads, are a junior hockey team in the Ontario Hockey League (OHL), playing out of the Hershey Centre. Current NHL stars like Jason Spezza, Alex Pietrangelo and Casey Czikas, all kick started their careers here in Mississauga. Steelheads young gunners Sean Day, Nathan Bastian, Jacob Moverare, Austin Osmanski, and current team captain Michael McLeod were all drafted to the NHL in 2016 and we can't wait to watch them shine for their future clubs.

Come watch Canada's sport, and enjoy one of the best game experiences in the league – You won't want to miss this!

Rising star Ryan McLeod joined older brother Michael to play for their hometown Steelheads. *Photo: Mississauga Steelheads.*

The NBA Development League *(D-League) is the official minor league of the NBA. The club's name links the Raptors brand and pays homage to the 905 area code, which includes Mississauga.*

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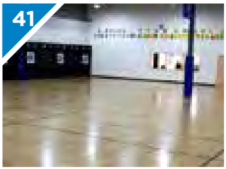

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ONTARIO CENTRE FOR CLASSICAL SPORT

3750B Laird Road, Unit 13-14 | 905-820-5151
classicalsport.com

The indoor archery range is the largest dedicated indoor archery range in the Greater Toronto Area. The sprung hardwood sports floor was specifically designed for fencing, making this facility one of the best in Ontario.

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RAPTORS 905

500 Rose Cherry Place | 416-815-6173
raptors905.com

Come watch future pro basketball stars today, playing in the NBA Development League (D-League)! The regular season schedule runs from November to April. See the Events listings (page 8) for scheduled dates and raptors905.com for tickets, team news and more information. The road to the "six" starts here!

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SPORTS HALL OF FAME

5600 Rose Cherry Place, Concourse Lobby
905-267-3536
sportsmississauga.ca

Visit this local landmark, filled with photos, memorabilia, and biographies of Mississauga's most talented sport heroes. Learn about the achievements of the city's greatest athletes and coaches. Explore the sports action in the triple gymnasium and soccer turf.

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TO

THE GREAT ONTARIO SALMON DERBY

Canadian Waters of Lake Ontario | 905-615-4880
greatontariosalmonderby.ca

July 1 to August 19, 2017. Sponsored by the Toronto Star, the 21st annual derby is North America's largest freshwater fishing derby and takes place in the Canadian waters of Lake Ontario. Visit greatontariosalmonderby.ca for details and to purchase tickets.

Use the map at the back of this book to see where each place is!

♿ Accessible	➤ Tours available
Ⓟ Parking	TO Tourism Toronto member

THEATRE & ENTERTAINMENT

Plan an exciting night out to see a play, hear a favourite musician or laugh out loud with friends. Choose from lots of entertainment options with the wide variety of theater and performance arts on stage in Mississauga.

LIVING ARTS CENTRE IN MISSISSAUGA

4141 Living Arts Drive | 905-306-6000; 1-888-805-8888
livingartscentre.ca

A multi-use facility, the Living Arts Centre houses performance theatres, an exhibition gallery, eight professional art studios, and sophisticated meeting facilities, offering performances, courses, birthday parties, camps, artist residency and more. Parking free, evenings after 6 p.m. and on weekends.

MAJA PRENTICE THEATRE

3650 Dixie Road | 416-910-4073
mississaugaartscouncil.com/venue/maja-prentice-theatre

The Maja Prentice Theatre is considered Mississauga's "hidden gem," an intimate, 201-seat proscenium theatre. It is managed by the Mississauga Theatre Allliance and is the venue of choice for a wide range of cultural groups, arts festivals and community theatre.

MEADOWVALE THEATRE

6315 Montevideo Road | 905-615-4720
MTix.ca

Meadowvale Theatre is Mississauga's original community performing arts facility—a welcoming arts space that inspires and cultivates art making. Its 395-seat, state-of-the-art auditorium is home to award-winning performances and events. The theatre also features a gallery in the main lobby. Visit MTix.ca for full details.

MISSISSAUGA SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA

4141 Living Arts Drive, | 905-615-4405
mississaugasymphony.ca

The Mississauga Symphony Orchestra presents numerous entertaining concerts each season in the comfort and wonderful acoustics of the Living Arts Centre. With over 80 enthusiastic and talented musicians onstage for each concert, you're sure to enjoy the experience! See the events calendar for signature events!

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Yuk Yuk's
INTERNATIONAL
STAND UP COMEDY

YUK YUKS

5165 Dixie Road | 416-967-6425
yukyuks.com

Roll down the aisles laughing! Spend an evening at Yuk Yuk's, Canada's renowned national stand-up comedy club.

Photos, from left: Downtown Mississauga, Streetsville Historical Village, and Public Art Tour.

Look for "The Book": the large steel sculpture outside Mississauga's Central Library. Its pages appear to blow in the wind while one page dances away. Created by artist Ilan Sandler, the piece was installed in May 2016 as a donation to the City by the Toronto Pearson International Airport.

Walking Tours

Take a leap off the beaten path to discover some of Mississauga's hidden gems. Go back in time on a historic tour. View the city's inspiring public art works. All at your own pace.

Downtown Mississauga Tour

(Self guided)
Begins at Celebration Square
Estimated walking time: 90-120 minutes
discovermississauga.ca/downtowntour

Stroll your way through 4.5 kilometres of the urban centre. Explore things like Celebration Square, where 30,000 people come together to celebrate, Kariya Park, Mississauga's serene, Japanese style gardens, and much more!

Heritage Mississauga Tours

(Self guided)
Various locations
heritagemississauga.com/page/Heritage-Tours

Guide yourself through free Heritage Tour brochures for many historic areas within Mississauga, highlighting historic buildings and stories from our vibrant past. Print copies are available for free at The Grange. [Map ID #18]. Current tours include Clarkson, Erindale, Meadowvale Village (Ontario's first Heritage Conservation District), Old Port Credit Heritage Conservation District, and Streetsville.

Public Art Tour *(Self guided)*

Downtown Mississauga
mississauga.ca/publicart

Get an up-close look at the artistic transformation underway throughout downtown Mississauga. Take a self-guided tour to see 16 inspiring works of public art by emerging and renowned artists from around the globe. We invite you to discover Mississauga's outdoor art gallery and set your inner photographer free by documenting your tour through photos along the way and tag @saugaculture #SaugaPublicArtTour

Streetsville Historical Village Tour *(Guided)*

280 Queen Street South
905-858-5974
Available through the summer months
villageofstreetsville.com

The Village of Streetsville is home to the largest concentration of historic buildings in Mississauga. The ever popular takes place at various times through the summer months—you won't want to miss the Candlelight Walk! There is no pre-registration required for the tours and it's free!

What to expect on the Public Art Tour! Check out Contemplating Child by artist Ferruccio Sardella – a 3,500-pound steel sculpture in our Public Art Tour. Using a primitive, childlike approach, the sculpture presents a gesture of a seated child in repose.

VILLAGES

Visit one of our historic villages and shop and stay awhile!

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♿ Ⓟ TO

Port Credit Village

105 Lakeshore Road West | 905-278-7742
portcredit.com

Welcome to Port Credit! Mississauga's entertainment hub for shopping, events, music and dining on the waterfront. Our beautiful community offers something for everyone, with a wide array of restaurants, retail stores, services and cafés, all within easy walking distance from each other.

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Clarkson Village

Lakeshore Road West and Clarkson Road
clarksonbia.com

Located on the south-western edge of Mississauga along Lakeshore Road is Clarkson Village, founded in 1808. Named after early settler Warren Clarkson, this is the oldest of Mississauga's village communities. History buffs will be interested in historic treasures including the Bradley Museum (built in 1830) and the Benares Historic House. Flip back to See and Do #11 for more information.

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Village of Malton

Rexdale Boulevard and Highway 427 | 905-499-2969
maltonbia.com

Just north of Toronto Pearson International Airport is the historic Village of Malton, originally a farming community established in 1819. The area transformed into an aviation community by the early 1940s after the construction of Malton Airport—predecessor to today's airport. Home to Canada's historic Avro Arrow, Malton continues to be a hot spot for aviation enthusiasts. It has cultivated a community rich in international flare, bringing the world into Mississauga.

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♿ Ⓟ ➤ TO

Streetsville Village

280 Queen Street South | 905-858-5974
villageofstreetsville.com

Known as "The Village in the City," Streetsville is a quaint, scenic community located in northern Mississauga along the Credit River. A walk down historic Queen Street reveals the grace of another era. Many historic homes have been converted into offices, restaurants, spas and cafes. In the Village in the City of Mississauga, parking is free. Relax in a restaurant or pub, and plan a shopping spree in Streetsville.

♿ Accessible	➤ Tours available
Ⓟ Parking	TO Tourism Toronto member

Photo: Jaime's Italian - Square One

Friendly foodies share their
TOP 5s
insauga.com

local knowledge

You can explore many worlds of flavour in our food universe of more than 1,200 restaurants in Mississauga. To help navigate the delectable choices, we turn to popular local website insauga.com—an insider's food and entertainment guide and blog to all that is fun and flavourful in the city.

Based on online viewer surveys and an in-the-know crew of undercover reviewers, the insauga.com team regularly identify their Top Five. Here are a few current picks in popular cultural dining:

gf *Gluten Free*
h *Halal*
k *Kosher*
v *Vegan*
vg *Vegetarian*

JAPANESE

These *a la carte* restaurants are perfect for a romantic date or sophisticated business meeting.

1 HINOTE SUSHI

720 Bristol Road West | 905-502-5520
hinotesushi.com

Hinote Sushi takes the number one spot based on the quality of the food, presentation and atmosphere. This small gem tucked away in a residential plaza has an especially loyal daily lunch rush, so best get there early. *Try: spicy salmon roll.*

2 MASAMUNE JAPANESE RESTAURANT

5200 Dixie Road #8 | 905-625-1852
sushimasamune.com

Western style dining and traditional Japanese Zashiki rooms (or Tatami rooms), where a group can dine in traditional style at low chabudai tables.
Try: any of the sashimi.

3 SUSHI TEI

4040 Creditview Road #1 | 905-306-9060
sushitei.ca

The large yet cozy venue offers private booths and tables, and an expansive menu that spans both Japanese and Korean cuisine. *Try: soft shell crab.*

4 DAI ICHI SUSHI RESTAURANT gf v vg

3105 Winston Churchill Boulevard #7 | 905-820-8869
daiichisushi.com

Contemporary decor and small, private rooms makes this place especially great for cozy get-togethers or dates.
Try: sushi/sashimi bento box.

5 IRON CHEF

4920 Tomken Road | 905-212-9998
ironchef.ca

Located in a plaza near Tomken and Eglinton, this modern Japanese restaurant greets you with sit-down dining on one side and teppanyaki on the other. Daily lunch specials are great for the lunch sushi enthusiast who wants to economize.
Try: the daily lunch special.

Make a restaurant match – online
Visit **insauga.com/food** *for up-to-the minute coverage of what's new, what's worth a bite, and all the latest buzz in Mississauga's food and drinks scene.*

ITALIAN

One of the most popular cuisines for almost any occasion is Italian and Mississauga has plenty of restaurants to choose from. What makes these five unique is the pride they put into making your dishes.

1 MICHAEL'S BACK DOOR gf h v vg

1715 Lakeshore Road West | 905-822-5751
michaelsbackdoor.com

The setup is unlike anything else in Mississauga, set in an almost secret location at the back of a building off Lakeshore Road. Michael's Back Door has been around since 1981, so you know they're doing something right. A piano room and new wine room are great for parties. Reservations are recommended. *Try: risotto pescatore.*

2 CASALINGA RISTORANTE gf h v vg

2057 Royal Windsor Drive | 905-823-2000
casalingaristorante.com

Casalinga gets packed fast, especially on weekends. They offer house-made gnocchi, thin crust pizza cooked in a stone oven, signature pasta dishes, and authentic Tuscan cuisine. *Try: potato gnocchi with lamb.*

3 PAPA GIUSEPPE'S gf v vg

6 Lakeshore Road East | 905-990-5009
papagiuseppes.com

This small, quaint restaurant in the heart of Port Credit has a rustic Italian-inspired dining room and is a great spot to enjoy pizza that's cooked in a stone oven. In summer, a nice patio opens up out back—if you can get in—to impress a date. *Try: house-made gnocchi.*

4 GOODFELLAS WOOD OVEN PIZZA gf vg

209 Queen Street South | 1-855-433-5527
goodfellaspizza.ca

Walking in feels like stepping into a rustic Italian home: Goodfellas in Streetsville is Mississauga's first restaurant serving authentic Neapolitan wood oven pizza. The menu offers authentic Romano pizza and pastas freshly made in-house. *Try: diavolo pizza.*

5 AIELLI RISTORANTE gf h v vg

286 Lakeshore Road East | 905-278-2183
aielli.com

One of Mississauga's finer Italian restaurants has a 30-year history in Port Credit. Its beautiful wine room holds over 10,000 bottles and a selection that has earned multiple Awards of Excellence from Wine Spectator. *Try: lake duck trilogy.*

INDIAN

Indian cuisine wears many hats in Mississauga, from fast food to elegant fine dining. The insauga.com Top 5 choices reflect a range across this delicious spectrum.

1 THE MAHARAJA BOUTIQUE RESTAURANT gf h v vg

4646 Heritage Hills Boulevard #3 | 905-507-2444
themaharaja.ca

Inspired by India's architecture and diversity of flavours, this restaurant offers a journey through four regional cuisines: Awadhi, classic Hyderabadi, Punjabi and Rajputana. The extensive menu features regional dishes creatively presented in copper bowls, slate boards, and copper table top grill. *Try: shareable dishes.*

2 AVANI

801 Matheson Boulevard West | 905-501-0021
avani.ca

Avani gets extra points for being a unique Indian and Asian cuisine fusion restaurant. Spacious, elegant, and decorated, in deep colours, highlights of the extensive menu include the pakora platter, spring rolls, samosa rolls, butter chicken, and pad Thai. *Try: savory, tender chicken haryali.*

3 UDUPI MADRAS CAFE

265 Enfield Place | 905-277-0010
udupimadrascafe.ca

A unique menu brimming with Southern Indian vegetarian cuisine puts this pleasant finding high on our list of must-visit restos. Diners can sample medu vada, dosas, and South Indian thali. *Try: the thali platter.*

4 NIRVANA gf h v vg

35 Brunel Road #5 | 905-501-5500
nirvanatheflavoursofindia.com

Beautiful food is matched by an equally enticing atmosphere in a spacious and elegant establishment that showcases classic Indian sculptures, white marble pillars, and artfully decorated windows. *Try: lamb or goat rogan josh, a Kashmir dish.*

5 THE HOST FINE INDIAN CUISINE

33 City Centre Drive | 905-566-4678
welcometohost.com

The intimate and darkly lit resto has a romantic atmosphere, adorned by colourful bangles. The service is good and the food varied and satisfying in both taste and portion. *Try: butter chicken.*

POLISH (PEROGIES!)

A favourite of Mississauga's flourishing Polish community, perogies–those delicious dumplings of Eastern European origin–are the perfect comfort food for a satisfying meal. However you spell it–pierogis, pirogi or perogies–here are insauga.com picks of Top 5 places to try them.

1 ZAGLOBA DELI AND RESTAURANT

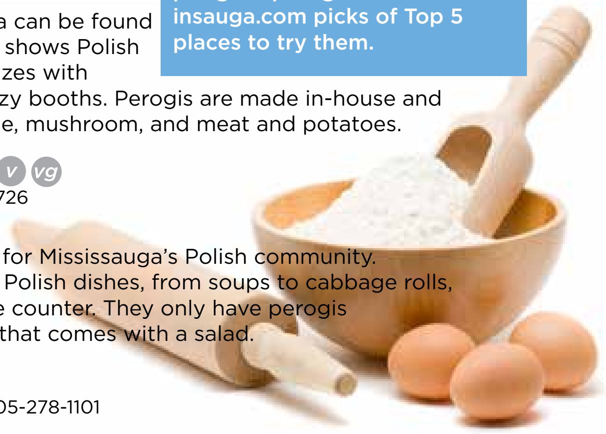
2555 Dixie Road | 905-279-9925
zagloba.ca

The best perogis in Mississauga can be found in this lively local hangout that shows Polish news on its big screen and buzzes with passionate conversations in cozy booths. Perogis are made in-house and come in three flavours: cabbage, mushroom, and meat and potatoes.

2 ARKADY BISTRO CAFE v vg

3631 Dixie Road | 905-624-5726

This is a go-to gathering place for Mississauga's Polish community. It offers a variety of traditional Polish dishes, from soups to cabbage rolls, served from a hot-plate service counter. They only have perogis on Fridays, including a special that comes with a salad.



3 THE OLD STABLE PUB

114 Lakeshore Road West | 905-278-1101

This straight-up Polish restaurant is one of the most unique places to see in Mississauga, decorated as a legit western bar complete with stag heads and saddles. It's awesome! The menu is small and filled with traditional dishes including, of course, perogis, made in-house.

4 DRAKE, A FIRKIN PUB gf vg

6982 Financial Drive | 905-567-9173
firkinpubs.com

This old school pub serves its perogis boiled, stuffed with potato and cheddar and tossed with sauteed onions and crisp bacon. Get the perogis with all three toppings and you will be in heaven!

5 THE WINGERY

510 Driftcurrent Drive | 905-568-8883
970 Southdown Road | 905-822-5333 | thewingery.com

This takeout and delivery joint has two locations in Mississauga, the only places where you can get perogis on the go as a standard side along with your chicken wings. Their slogan is "Size Matters."

HEALTHY LIVING

To suit a young, active community attuned to the flavours of many cultures, a growing number of Mississauga restaurants are serving up healthier, more nutritious options for busy people. Here is a choice of Top 5 places to eat healthy, when on the go.

1 SPROUTS gf h v vg

6956 Financial Drive, Unit H9 | 905-286-1001
sproutsrestaurant.com

This restaurant caters to a lunch crowd and is open weekdays from 10 a.m.–4 p.m. They offer a variety of wraps, sandwiches, salads, and vegetarian options. Meat comes from a free-range farm in Guelph.

2 PLANET ORGANIC k gf v vg

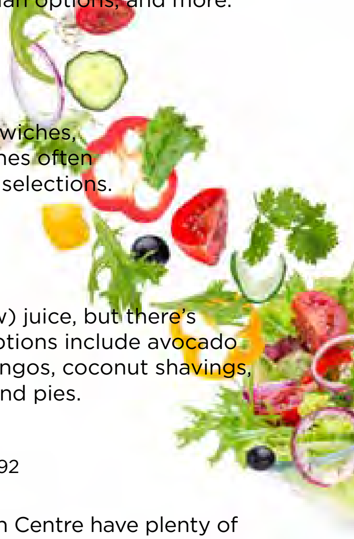
8170 Lakeshore Road East | 905-271-0785
planetorganic.ca

This large grocery store in the heart of Port Credit sells exclusively organic products. On-the-go meal options range from organic meats, roasted vegetables, salads, vegan and vegetarian options, and more.

3 WHOLE FOODS gf v vg

155 Square One Drive | 905-275-9393
wholefoodsmarket.com/stores/sqo

A prepared food section covers everything from sandwiches, baked goods, pizza, salads, and a hot bar. Diverse dishes often include Asian, Indian, Mediterranean, Italian and Latin selections.



4 THE COLD PRESSERY gf v vg

4310 Sherwoodtowne Boulevard #5 | 905-803-8222
thecoldpressery.com

The house specialty is fresh organic cold-pressed (raw) juice, but there's much more on a vegan and dairy-free menu. Snack options include avocado smashed toast and acai bowls filled with bananas, mangos, coconut shavings, and granola. Seasonal specials include hearty soups and pies.

5 FRESHII gf v vg

5955 Latimer Drive (and other locations) | 905-286-9992
freshii.com/ca

Locations in Heartland Town Centre and Erin Mills Town Centre have plenty of choices to satisfy cravings, from wraps and salads to smoothies and more. Offers vegetarian, vegan, gluten-free, soy-free and nut-free options.

All-occasion eats!

Chef Jamie Oliver visits Canada regularly, recently opening Jamie's Italian in Square One Shopping Centre's south expansion.
Photo: Square One

Even more local crowd pleasers to suit a wide range of tastes

TO

&COMPANY RESTO BAR gf k v vg

295 Enfield Place | 905-808-2112
andcompany.ca

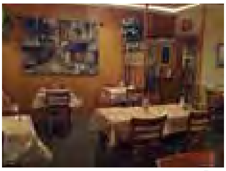
&company Resto Bar is the premium hosting venue located in the heart of Mississauga. Our beautiful 15,000 square foot space, exceptional cuisine and impeccable service are sure to impress.

TO

AMADIO'S PIZZA vg

360 Revus Avenue, Unit 6 | 905-891-5500
amadiospizza.com

Award-winning Amadio's Pizza is rated one of the top pizzerias in the GTA (Greater Toronto Area), celebrating 25 years in the independently family-run takeout and delivery business. The pizzas are stone baked, handmade, using the finest ingredients available. Call or order online.



TO

ENZO'S TWO GUYS FROM ITALY gf v

128 Queen Street S., Unit 17 | 905-826-5100
enzostwoguysfromitaly.com

Casual, family owned and operated restaurant and bar for over 25 years, situated in the heart of Streetsville. It offers a wide selection of fresh Italian food, including homemade pizza.

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JAMIE'S ITALIAN – SQUARE ONE

100 City Centre Drive | 905-766-9090
shopsquareone.com/jamiesitalian

Jamie's Italian was founded in Oxford in 2008. Since then it has grown to more than 40 restaurants worldwide, and there are already plans for even more in towns, counties and countries around the world.

TO

MANDARIN RESTAURANT gf v vg

3105 Dundas Street West | 905-569-7000
87 Matheson Boulevard East | 905-502-8000
mandarinrestaurant.com

Featuring two locations in Mississauga, Mandarin's award-winning all-you-can-eat Chinese-Canadian buffet has something for everyone! Choose from over 150 freshly prepared items daily, including a variety of salads, soups, sushi, grilled items, mouth-watering entrées, and delectable desserts!

TO

QUEST RESTAURANT & BAR gf v vg

6750 Mississauga Road | 905-542-6741; 800-422-8238
hiltonmeadowvale.com

Quest Restaurant and Bar at the Hilton Meadowvale hotel is the dining destination in Mississauga. The executive chef prepares menu items with a global cuisine focus. Great flavours and warm, attentive service await your dining experience.

TO

SNUG HARBOUR SEAFOOD BAR & GRILL gf v vg

14 Stavebank Road South | 905-274-5000
snugharbourrestaurant.com

The wraparound, heated patio overlooks Lake Ontario and the Credit Village Marina. The varied menu includes seafood, steak, pasta, pizza and oyster bar. Live Entertainment every Saturday night. Open year-round.

Snug Harbour

a taste of CANADA

insauga.com

Celebrate Canada's 150th with all the flavours of the world. Explore local favourites and global traditions that proudly reflect our culinary heritage. You'll find diverse experiences in these top five neighbourhoods to go out for food in Mississauga, according to insauga.com

TOP 5 Food Neighbourhoods

1

PORT CREDIT

Located in south-central Mississauga, this happening lakeside village has something for everyone. Featuring over 56 restaurants, Port Credit offers everything from gourmet pizzas to burritos, wings to raw food and recent additions like Burger's Priest and Smoke's Poutinerie.

5 to try:

Thyme 347 Lakeshore Road East
905-271-8871 | thymeristorantemiss.com

Papa Giuseppe's 26 Lakeshore Road East
905-990-5009 | papagiuseppes.com

Fired Up 89 Lakeshore Road East
905-990-3473 | firedupbbq.com

Wingporium 170 Lakeshore Road East
905-990-4300 | wingporium.ca

El Jefe 66 Lakeshore Road East
905-990-5200 | eljefepc.com

2

COOKSVILLE

The crossroads at Dundas and Hurontario (also known as 5/10) is known for its great variety of quick-service ethnic restaurants. Insauga.com reviewers hail this as "the most flavourful area in Mississauga." You'll find everything from Colombian empanadas to shawarma to Caribbean food.

5 to try:

Charlie's Caribbean Cuisine
3055 Hurontario Street | 905-949-0663
charliescaribbeancuisine.com

Las Delicias 59 Dundas Street West
905-232-0060 | lasdelicias.ca

Freddy's Kitchen 2515 Hurontario Street
905-270-3030

Pho Queen City 3085 Hurontario Street #13
905-615-8288 | queencitypho.com

Border MX Mexican Grill
3085 Hurontario Street Unit 11B
905-306-0060 | bordermx.ca

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STREETSVILLE

When it comes to food, Streetsville, with over 30 restaurants, has everything from grilled cheese to cupcakes to burgers to shawarma. Streetsville is also a nice place to go on a date—whether your taste and budget is for falafel, prime rib or authentic Italian.

5 to try:

Goodfellas 209 Queen Street South
855-433-5527 | goodfellaspizza.ca

Mondello 127 Queen Street South
905-819-1727 | mondelloristorante.ca

Cagneys 128 Queen Street South
905-826-2311 | cagneys.ca

Bobby's Hideaway 20 Queen Street North
905-542-8863 | bobbyshideaway.com

Osmow's (the original location)
251 Queen Street South
905-826-6021 | mrosmow.com

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CLARKSON

Clarkson has some of the best restaurants in Mississauga, worth getting familiar with. You'll find a range of classic bistros, casual dining, and brunch places – even parking lots where locals drive in to enjoy take-out of some of the city's best pizza at Mickey's Pizza!

5 to try:

Michael's Back Door 1715 Lakeshore Road West | 905-822-5751

Clarkson Mediterranean Bistro
1731 Lakeshore Road West | 905-916-2283
clarksonmediterraneanbistro.com

Casalinga Ristorante 2057 Royal Windsor Drive | 905-823-2000

Mickey's Pizza 1900 Lakeshore Road West
905-822-1411 | feedyourdragon.com

Kravingz 1710 Lakeshore Road West
905-916-5500 | kravingz.ca

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DOWNTOWN

Big box restaurants, bars and fast food chains at Mississauga City Centre feature well-known names like Jack Astor's, bier Markt, Moxie's and Boston Pizza. If you're willing to look a little harder, you can find some cool indie gems hiding amid the chain restaurants.

5 to try:

Udupi Madras Cafe 265 Enfield Place
905-277-0010 | udupimadrascafe.ca

&Company 295 Enfield Place
905-808-2112 | andcompany.ca

Grano Ristorante 285 Enfield Place
905-276-1234 | granoristorante.com

Alioli Ristorante
350 Burnhamthorpe Road West
905-281-1122 | alioli.com

Wally's 3480 Hurontario Street
905-279-0975

TOP 5s NEARBY

Use your mobile phone's browser to explore insauga.com's Top 5 and New Openings within 5 miles of your location in Mississauga.
insauga.com/nearby

Square One Shopping Centre

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See it, shop it!

Pack your wish list and leave time to land your perfect "find" in Mississauga. Our shopping destinations suit every style, craving and budget: glamourous malls, power centres and outlets, village boutiques, international specialty shops, and more than 2,800 stores and services throughout the city.

♿ Ⓟ TO

DIXIE OUTLET MALL

1250 South Service Road | 905-278-3494
dixieoutletmall.com

Dixie Outlet Mall is home to over 120 retailers, including brand name outlet concepts like Tommy Hilfiger Outlet, GUESS Factory Store, Boathouse Outlet, Footlocker Outlet, Winners, Levi's Outlet, Nine West Shoe Studio and Laura Outlet.

♿ Ⓟ

ERIN MILLS TOWN CENTRE

Erin Mills Parkway & Eglinton Avenue | 905-569-1981
erinmills.ca

Erin Mills Town Centre offers a beautiful new 2 level shopping experience anchored by Hudson's Bay, Walmart and Sears. Shop an inspiring collection of over 185 shops and services including Pandora, Aldo, H&M and more. Visit the spectacular glass sphere in Centre Court and stop by the brand new Food Court and patio for a splendid view of the city.

♿ Ⓟ

HEARTLAND TOWN CENTRE

Corner of Mavis & Britannia
heartlandtown.com

One of Canada's largest Power Centres, with over 180 stores and services, this outdoor complex is one-stop shopping for everything from housewares to electronics, fashion and more. You'll find big box stores from Canadian Tire to Walmart, and factory outlets for brands like Harry Rosen and Gap. New and notable in 2017: Filipino grocery Seafood City Supermarket.

SPECIALTY MALLS

888 Dundas Street East | mississaugachinesecentre.com;
1177 Central Parkway West | goldensquare.croftonmoore.com

Mississauga's diverse Asian communities find local favourites in popular malls that specialize in restaurants, traditional medicines, apparel, giftware, boutiques, imported foods, and a variety of services. The 43-foot, traditional wooden gateway into the Mississauga Chinese Centre marks one of the city's cultural and retail landmarks. Another busy strip, Golden Square Centre features 40 specialty shops and restaurants.

♿	Accessible	➚	Tours available
Ⓟ	Parking	TO	Tourism Toronto member

♿ Ⓟ TO

SQUARE ONE SHOPPING CENTRE

100 City Centre Drive | 905-279-6277
shopsquareone.com

An international shopping destination, open 362 days a year, where you can experience more than 330 retail, dining, and entertainment options. Notable names include Holt Renfrew, Salvatore Ferragamo, Michael Kors, Simons, Urban Outfitters, Muji, Jamie's Italian restaurant, and more. It's only a 15-minute drive from Pearson International Airport, and a 30-minute drive from downtown Toronto.

INSIDE SQUARE ONE:

HOLT RENFREW

Holt Renfrew - Square One

100 City Centre Drive | 905 897-1044
Holt Renfrew is Canada's leading luxury shopping experience with premier designers for women's and men's clothing, accessories, shoes, and beauty.

MUJI
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Muji - Square One

100 City Centre Drive | 905-276-2737
New to MUJI Canada, the Square One location offers packaged food and children's clothing, along with an expanded furniture display area, which is four times larger, with greater selection.

Salvatore Ferragamo

Salvatore Ferragamo - Square One

100 City Centre Drive | 905-949-4884
This luxury brand is creative and innovative by tradition. Founded on excellence in the art of footwear, the company offers a wide range of high quality prestigious products manufactured with the greatest attention to detail and offered with impeccable service.

simons

Simons - Square One

100 City Centre Drive | 289-777-3630
Simons is founded on a simple principle: Strive each day to build strong customer relationships by offering a unique selection of merchandise and by delivering quality and value, complemented by unsurpassed service. Visit Ève Café inside Simons. A proud addition to Square One.

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URBAN DECAY

Urban Decay - Square One

100 City Centre Drive | 905-272-6277
This is beauty with an edge. Feminine, dangerous and fun, it appeals to women who relish their individuality and dare to express it. An insane range of velvety eyeshadows, award-winning eye liners, mascaras and legendary Makeup Setting Sprays, we've been shaking up the industry for over 15 years.

♿	Accessible	✓	Tours available
Ⓟ	Parking	TO	Tourism Toronto member

FARMER’S MARKETS

Good morning, weekend!

Port Credit Farmers Market
Corner of Lakeshore Road East and Elmwood Avenue
905-278-7724 | portcredit.com
For great family fun, this market runs weekly Saturday mornings from June to October, 8 a.m.–1 p.m. Buy produce fresh from the grower and other local goods and enjoy live music and kids’ activities.

The Backyard Farm & Market at Erin Mills
Northeast corner of Erin Mills Parkway at Eglinton Avenue West
embackyardfarm.com
Open Saturdays from 9 a.m.–1 p.m. this lively market typically runs from early June to the end of September.

Farmers Market of Eden
Lisgar GO Station (near Winston Churchill and Argentia)
edenffc.org/farmers-market
Visit local farmers to buy a variety of fruits, vegetables and honey. Runs Sundays from 9 a.m–3 p.m., mid-June to early October, and is hosted by Eden Food for Change, an organization focused on food—good food.

Many Feathers Farmers Market
Lisgar GO Station (near Winston Churchill and Argentia)
manyfeathers.ca/visit-the-market
Discover local vendors, live music, food trucks, and artists who gather here Sundays 9 a.m.–2 p.m., mid-June to early October.

FROM OUR VILLAGES:

One of a kind finds!

Streetsville Treasures Inc.
8 Thomas Street | 905-285-9989
streetsvilletreasures.com
A unique trove of vintage-inspired memorabilia such as Elvis, Marilyn Monroe, The Beatles, Wizard of Oz, I Love Lucy, and Betty Boop. This shop also carries women’s clothing and jewelry.

The Barn
1675 Lakeshore Road West | 905-822-6574 thebarnmississauga.com
This one-of-a-kind business located in an historic barn in Clarkson has a wide assortment of antique and reproduction furniture, lighting, glass, china, silver, and more.

Twice is Nice
233 Lakeshore Road East | 905-274-5569
twiceisniceresale.ca
This ladies’ consignment store sells nearly new, brand name clothing, jewelry, shoes, purses and accessories. Stock is added daily; 50% to 75% off sales year-round.

SHOP THE VILLAGES

Explore hometown boutiques and independent shops in Mississauga's villages.

CLARKSON

clarksonbia.com

Clarkson Village's main street on Lakeshore Road West [Map ID 50b] features a variety of retail shops, restaurants and services, with many businesses family-owned and operated. You'll find a nice blend of unique, one-of-a-kind, privately owned boutiques and a wide array of services with many businesses recipients of service excellence awards and environmental awards.

TO

PORT CREDIT VILLAGE

portcredit.com

Along Lakeshore Road, picturesque Port Credit Village [Map ID 50a] is Mississauga's "Urban Village on the Lake." This is one of the city's top cultural, entertainment and culinary destinations, centred on one of Canada's most successful main streets. With more than 400 shops, services, and venues, you can always count on finding a new restaurant to try, local boutiques to explore or lively nightlife in pubs and lounges.

TO

STREETSVILLE

villageofstreetsville.com

Known as "The Village in the City," this quaint, scenic community is located in northern Mississauga along the banks of the Credit River [Map ID 50d]. A walk down Streetville's historic Queen Street reveals the grace of another era. Many historic homes and buildings on this main thoroughfare have been converted into modern offices, restaurants, spas, salons and cafés.

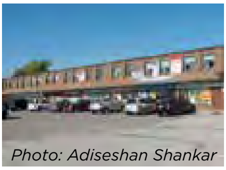

Photo: Adiseshan Shankar

MALTON

maltonbia.com

In Malton [Map ID 50c], you'll see an extensive variety of international gold and fine fabrics offered by retailers along Airport Road. See what's new at Canada's largest indoor South Asian mall, The Shops at Westwood Square, on Goreway Road south of Morning Star Drive.

→more to browse
discovermississauga.ca/shop

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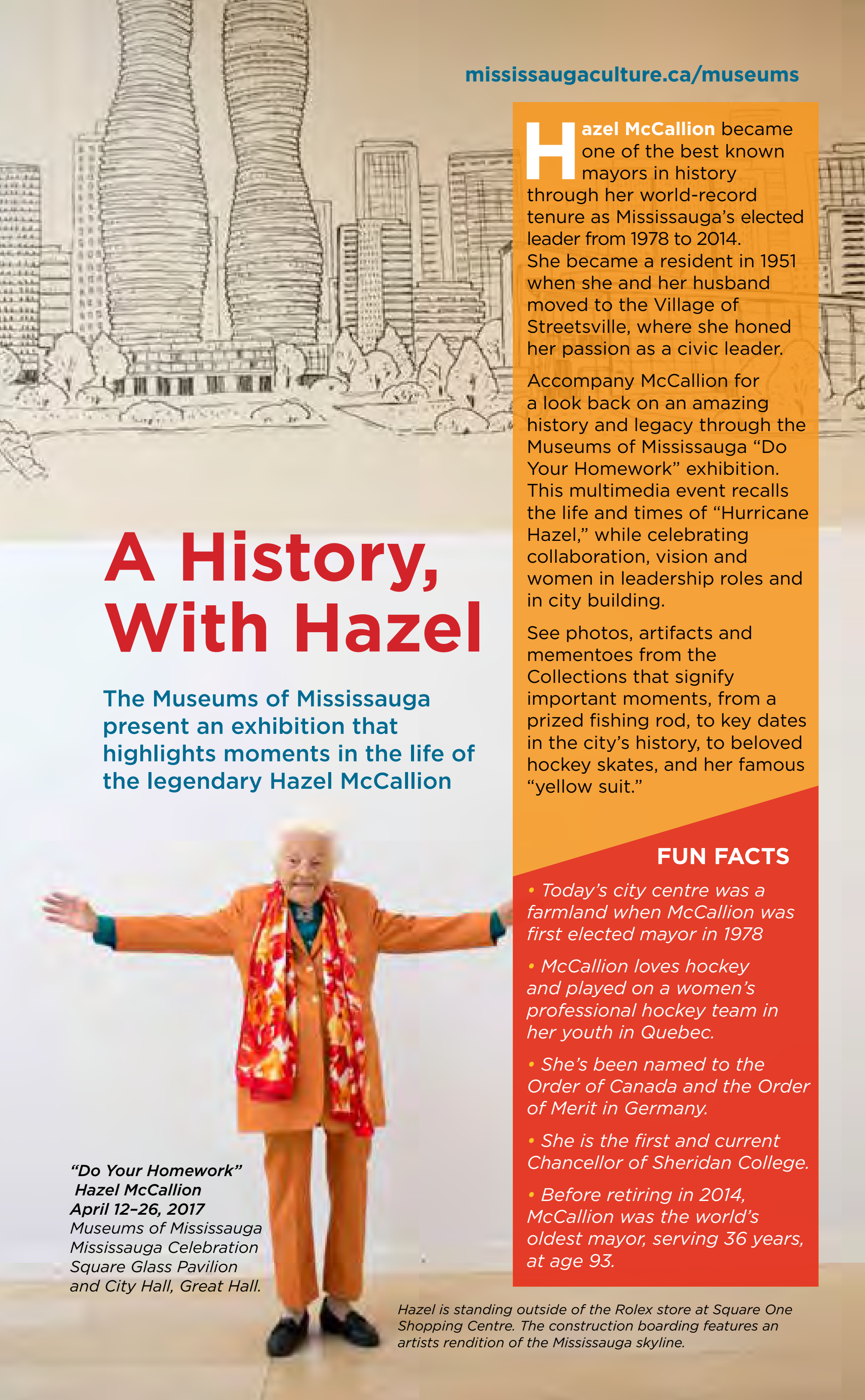
mississaugaculture.ca/museums



A History, With Hazel

The Museums of Mississauga present an exhibition that highlights moments in the life of the legendary Hazel McCallion

Hazel McCallion became one of the best known mayors in history through her world-record tenure as Mississauga's elected leader from 1978 to 2014. She became a resident in 1951 when she and her husband moved to the Village of Streetsville, where she honed her passion as a civic leader.

Accompany McCallion for a look back on an amazing history and legacy through the Museums of Mississauga "Do Your Homework" exhibition. This multimedia event recalls the life and times of "Hurricane Hazel," while celebrating collaboration, vision and women in leadership roles and in city building.

See photos, artifacts and mementoes from the Collections that signify important moments, from a prized fishing rod, to key dates in the city's history, to beloved hockey skates, and her famous "yellow suit."

FUN FACTS

- *Today's city centre was a farmland when McCallion was first elected mayor in 1978*
- *McCallion loves hockey and played on a women's professional hockey team in her youth in Quebec.*
- *She's been named to the Order of Canada and the Order of Merit in Germany.*
- *She is the first and current Chancellor of Sheridan College.*
- *Before retiring in 2014, McCallion was the world's oldest mayor, serving 36 years, at age 93.*

"Do Your Homework"
Hazel McCallion
April 12–26, 2017
Museums of Mississauga
Mississauga Celebration
Square Glass Pavilion
and City Hall, Great Hall.

Hazel is standing outside of the Rolex store at Square One Shopping Centre. The construction boarding features an artists rendition of the Mississauga skyline.

Photo: Adam Pulcicchio

OUR SPORTS STARS

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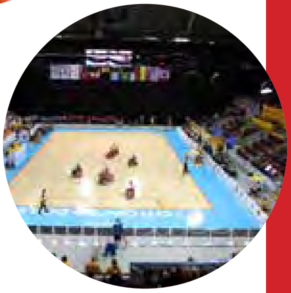

TORONTO Pan American/Para Pan America Games
In July and August 2015, Mississauga welcomed 50,000 visitors and hosted seven sports as one of 16 municipalities staging the Games.

2016 Ontario Summer Games
Mississauga welcomed more than 4,000 athletes to host the 34 multi-sport Games, the largest in Ontario history.

Skate Canada International has been hosted in Mississauga in 2016, 2011, 2003 and 2000 as part of the annual ISU Grand Prix of Figure Skating Competition global series.

HOT HOME TEAMS

See pages 43-44 to get in the action!

FAMOUS LOCALS

ANTHONY CARELLI. The WWE super star known as Santino Marella was born in Mississauga and currently owns Battle Arts Academy, on Tomken Road, as a pro wrestling coach.

JOHNNY BOWER. The Hockey Hall of Famer, who was Toronto Maple Leafs goalie when they last won the Stanley Cup, is a long-time resident of Meadowvale. You'll find a park in his name on Parkgate Drive.

DON CHERRY. The TV commentator and former NHL coach lives in Mississauga, and once owned the Mississauga Ice Dogs team. Rose Cherry Place, near Hershey Centre, is named in memory of his wife.

PAUL COFFEY. The All Star hockey player and Hockey Hall of Famer grew up in Malton. He was recently honoured with the renaming of Malton Arena and Wildwood Park as Paul Coffey Arena and Park.

PAUL HENDERSON. The former NHLer, best known for scoring the series-winning goal for Canada in the 1972 Hockey Summit Series, lives in Streetsville.

SILKEN LAUMANN. The Canadian Olympic champion rower grew up in Mississauga where she honed her rowing skills training on the Credit River. She was inducted into our Mississauga Legend's Row in 2014.

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Hotels listed by area from Mississauga City Centre (Hurontario Street and Highway 403)

NORTH EAST

ALT Hotel Toronto Airport
6080 Viscount Road
905-362-4337; 1-855-855-6080
toronto.althotels.ca

Best Western Plus Toronto Airport Hotel
5825 Dixie Road
905-670-8180; 1-800-260-3333
bestwestern.com

Comfort Inn Mississauga
31 Topflight Drive
905-564-5152; 1-800-230-6790
choicehotels.ca/cn900

Comfort Inn Toronto Airport
6355 Airport Road
905-677-7331
choicehotels.ca/cn568

Fairfield Inn & Suites by Marriott Toronto Airport
3299 Caroga Drive
905-672-4856
marriottfairfieldtoronto.com

Four Points by Sheraton Toronto Airport
6257 Airport Road
905-678-1400
fourpoints.com/torontoairport

Four Points by Sheraton Toronto Mississauga
6090 Dixie Road
905-670-0050
fourpointstorontoairportwest.com

Hampton Inn
7040 Edwards Boulevard
905-564-2122
hampton-inn.com/hi-mississauga

Hampton Inn & Suites Toronto Airport
3279 Caroga Drive
905-671-4730
torontoairportontario.hamptoninn.com

Hilton Garden Inn Toronto Airport
3311 Caroga Drive
905-678-0041
torontoairport.hgi.com

Hilton Garden Inn Toronto/ Mississauga
100 Traders Boulevard
905-890-9110
gardeninn.com

Hilton Toronto Airport Hotel & Suites
5875 Airport Road
905-677-9900
toronto-apt.hilton.com TO

Holiday Inn - Mississauga Toronto West
100 Britannia Road East
905-890-5700
hitorontowest.ca

Holiday Inn Express & Suites Toronto - Mississauga
40 Admiral Boulevard
905-795-1011; 1-877-660-8550
hiexpress.com

Homewood Suites by Hilton Mississauga
6430 Edwards Boulevard
905-564-5529
torontomississaugahomewoodsuites.com

Nu Hotel
6465 Airport Road
905-612-1119
nuhoteltoronto.com

Park Inn by Radisson Toronto Airport West
175 Derry Road East
905-364-9999
parkinn.com

Quality Inn Airport West
50 Britannia Road East
905-890-1200; 1-800-424-6423
qualityinnairportwest.com

Sheraton Gateway Hotel in Toronto International Airport
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905-672-7000; 1-800-325-3535
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Staybridge Inn & Suites
6791 Hurontario Street
905-564-6892
staybridge.com/mississauga

Studio 6
60 Britannia Road East
905-502-8897
staystudio6.com

Super 8 Mississauga
6625 Kennedy Road
905-565-2565

White Knight Motel
6965 Dixie Road
905-564-8001

NORTH WEST

Comfort Inn Meadowvale
2420 Surveyor Road
905-858-8600
comfortinnmeadowvale.com

Courtyard by Marriott Mississauga Meadowvale
7015 Century Avenue
905-567-5566

Fairfield Inn & Suites by Marriott Toronto Mississauga
35 Courtneypark Drive West
905-564-2030
mariott.com/fairfieldinn

Four Points by Sheraton Mississauga Meadowvale
2501 Argentia Road
905-858-2424
fourpointsmeadowvale.com

Hilton Mississauga Meadowvale
6750 Mississauga Road
905-821-1981
hiltonmeadowvale.com TO

Holiday Inn & Suites Mississauga
2565 Argentia Road
905-542-2121
holidayinn.com/w-mississauga

Motel 6 Mississauga
2935 Argentia Road
905-814-1664; 800-466-8356
motel6.com

Residence Inn by Marriott Mississauga Meadowvale
7005 Century Avenue
905-567-2577
marriott.com/yyzmm

SOUTH EAST

Avenue Motel
1060 Dundas Street East
905-273-5555
avenuemotel.ca

Comfort Inn Airport West
1500 Matheson Boulevard East
905-624-6900
choicehotels.ca

Courtyard by Marriott Mississauga
Airport Corporate Centre West
5050 Creekbank Road
905-625-3555
courtyardmississaugaairport.com

Days Inn
4635 Tomken Road
905-238-5480
daysinn.com

Fort York Motel
1920 Dundas Street East
905-277-2524

Green Acres Motel
1303 Lakeshore East Road
905-278-6910
greenacresmotel.ca

Hilton Garden Inn Toronto Airport West Mississauga
1870 Matheson Boulevard
905-361-6300
hiltongarden3.hilton.com

Mississauga Gate Inn
1938 Dundas Street East
905-276-9999
mississaugagateinn.com

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7035 Edwards Boulvard
905-564-8500
montecarloinns.com

Monte Carlo Inn Toronto-West Suites
1886 Dundas Street East
905-273-9500
montecarloinns.com

Quality Inn & Suites Toronto West
5585 Ambler Drive
905-238-3500
hietorontoairport.com

Residence Inn by Marriott Airport
Corporate Centre West
5070 Creekbank Road
905-602-7777
residenceinnmississaugaairport.com

Sandman Signature Mississauga Hotel
5400 Dixie Road
905-238-0159
sandman.ca

Super 5 Inn Motel
2171 Dundas Street East
905-624-6424
super5inn.com

The Ivy Motel
1417 Lakeshore Road East
905-278-9326
ivymotel.com

Toronto Airport West Hotel
5444 Dixie Road
905-624-1144
torontoairportwest.com

TownePlace Suites by Marriott Mississauga - Airport Corporate Centre
5050 Orbitor Drive
905-238-9600; 1-800-387-3355
marriott.com/yyzts

SOUTH WEST

Admiral Inn Mississauga
2161 North Sheridan Way

Clarkson Village Motel
1815 Lakeshore Road West
905-822-6110

Halton Motel
3033 Dundas Street West
905-828-6900

Hampton Inn by Hilton Toronto-Mississauga West
2085 North Sheridan Way
905-823-8600

Holiday Inn Toronto Mississauga
2125 North Sheridan Way
905-855-2000
holidayinn.com/mississaugaon

Novotel Mississauga
3670 Hurontario Street
905-896-1000
novotel.com

Ports Hotel
30 Port Street East
905-274-7390
portshotel.ca

The Glenerin Inn & Spa
1695 The East Collegeway
905-828-6103; 1-877-991-9971
glenerininn.com

The Waterside Inn Hotel & Conference Centre
15 Stavebank Road South
905-891-7770; 1-877-264-7770
watersideinn.ca

TRANSPORTATION

TORONTO PEARSON INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT

Toronto Pearson International Airport
416-776-3008 | torontopearson.com

Mississauga welcomes air travellers via Toronto Pearson International Airport, Canada's largest airport and our front door to the world–serving more than 41 million passengers a year. Located in Mississauga, the airport is a destination in and of itself. With world-class shops, great restaurants, and handy services to explore, there's no doubt you'll find something memorable and entertaining.

The private, not-for-profit corporation that operates Pearson International Airport and is undertaking its redevelopment has a mandate to create an airport system in the Greater Toronto Area (GTA) that supports and advances the economic vitality of the region. TO

Air Canada

Toronto Pearson International Airport
1-888-247-2262 | aircanada.com

Air Canada is a founding member of Star Alliance, the world's most comprehensive air transportation network, and offers travel to 1,356 destinations in 193 countries. TO

VEHICLES

The speed limit on Mississauga streets is 50 kilometres/hour (about 30 miles/hour) and 100 kilometres/hour (about 60 miles/hour) on highways (freeways) unless otherwise posted. Wearing seatbelts is mandatory for all adults. Children travelling in vehicles require safety restraints or booster seats.

MAIN HIGHWAYS

Mississauga is serviced by seven major highways, including Highways 401, 403, 409, 410, 427 and The Queen Elizabeth Way (QEW) that runs between Toronto and Niagara Falls. Highway 407 is the region's east-west toll highway. There are no toll booths on Highway 407 but your license plate will be electronically recorded and you'll be billed according to distance travelled and time of day.

CAR RENTALS

Car rental counters are located at the airport or at locations across the city. Some suggested retailers include:
Avis (1-800-331-1212; avis.com),
Budget (1-800-268- 8900; budget.com),
Discount Car and Truck Rentals (1-888-820-7378; discountcar.com), and
Hertz (1-800-263-0600; hertz.com).

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1-800-313-7262 | benningtonlimo.com

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niagaraairbus.com
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PUBLIC TRANSIT

MiWay

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- *For route planning assistance contact Customer Service at 905-615-INFO (4636)*
- *For fare information visit miway.ca*
- *Tweet your questions or feedback to @MiWayHelps*

GO Transit

1-888-GET ON GO (438-6646) | gotransit.com
For inter-city and inter-regional public transportation, GO Transit is the rail and bus system connecting Mississauga and the Greater Toronto Area.

TTC

416-393-INFO (4636) | ttc.ca
The Toronto Transit Commission (TTC) is the public transit system in Toronto.

Triplinx

Triplinx.ca
The official trip planner and one-stop transportation information resource to access public transit in the Greater Toronto and Hamilton region like schedules, fares, services and more.

UP Express

upexpress.com
With trains leaving every 15 minutes between 5:30 a.m. and 1:00 a.m., it's just a 25-minute ride to and from Downtown Toronto. TO

Maps

Right this way!

Use our handy, pullout map at the back of this guide to locate 50 Top Things to See and Do. You can also visit our website to find:

- **City of Mississauga Map**
- **Fishing Map**
- **Waterfront Trail Map**
- **Mississauga Villages Map**
- **Parks and Trails Maps**
- **Self-guided Tour Maps**

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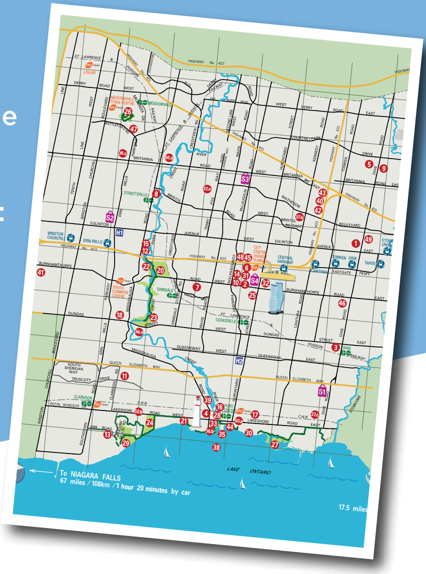
LAKE ONTARIO
To NIAGARA FALLS 67 miles / 108km / 1 hour 20 minutes by car
17.5 miles

TRAVEL BASICS

GETTING HERE

Located between Toronto and Niagara Falls, close to many of Canada's largest tourist attractions, and less than 90 minutes from the US border, Mississauga is easily accessible by air, land and water. Travelling within the city by day or night is safe—Mississauga is recognized as one of Canada's safest communities.
Only 30 minutes from downtown Toronto, Mississauga is home to Canada's largest airport—Toronto Pearson International Airport.

TOURISM INFORMATION CENTRES

Welcome Desk – Civic Centre

300 City Centre Drive
Monday to Friday, 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.
Closed on holidays

Heritage Resource Centre at The Grange

1921 Dundas Street West
Tuesday to Friday, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.,
Mondays by appointment only.
Closed on holidays.
905-828-8411 x 29, or email
history@heritagemississauga.org

The Visitor Centre at Benares Historic House

1507 Clarkson Road North
Wednesday and Friday 12 p.m. to 4 p.m.;
Thursday 12 p.m. to 8 p.m.; Saturday and Sunday 12 p.m. to 4 p.m.
905-615-4860 x 2110

LOCAL INFORMATION & SERVICES

Make **discovermississauga.ca** your first stop to find local travel information. For information about city services and programs, 3-1-1 is a non-emergency phone number for Mississauga residents (905-615-4311 outside city limits).

PASSPORTS AND CONSULATES

Approximately 100 countries have consular representation within the Greater Toronto Area.
To find locations, please visit
ontario.ca/page/consular-offices

MONEY

Our currency is the Canadian dollar, which uses coins for denominations under five dollars. These are often referred to as the "Loonie" (one dollar coin) and "Toonie" (two dollar coin).

TAXES

A harmonized tax (HST) of 13 per cent is levied on all goods and services.

TELEPHONES

Area codes in Mississauga include 905, 289 and 365. Toronto is covered by 416, 647 and 437. Long-distance charges do not apply within Mississauga or to Toronto, but charges may apply to calls made to other parts of the Greater Toronto Area (GTA).

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TOBACCO AND ALCOHOL

The legal drinking age in Ontario is 19; a driver's license is considered a valid form of identification. You must be at least 19 years of age to purchase cigarettes. Smoking is banned in public spaces and workspaces in Ontario, including restaurants, bars and private clubs. The ban extends to outdoor public areas such as playgrounds, sport fields and spectator areas. mhp.gov.on.ca

SPECIAL NEEDS TRAVELLERS

The City of Mississauga is committed to improving transit accessibility for people with disabilities. MiWay offers accessible transit service along all regularly scheduled routes. Find details at mississauga.ca/portal/miway/accessibleservice

EMERGENCIES

Call 9-1-1 only when you need police, fire or paramedic services to respond immediately to a fire or other life-threatening medical condition or emergency. Multi-language translation services are available.

For non-emergencies, the general number to contact Peel Regional Police is 905-453-3311.

WEATHER

The climate in Mississauga is moderate, with average temperatures ranging from -6°C (21°F) in January to 20°C (69°F) in July and 3°C (37°F) in November. Snowfall in Mississauga is considered low in comparison to the rest of Ontario and Canada.

VISITORS TO CANADA

Before you travel, please visit cic.gc.ca/english for up to date information, as travel documents or visa requirements may vary depending on the country you are travelling from.

US and international visitors

If you are a US citizen, ensure to carry proof of citizenship such as a passport, birth certificate or certificate of citizenship or naturalization, along with photo ID. If you are a US permanent resident, ensure to carry proof of your status. A passport may be required by your airline.

All visitors arriving from, or transiting through, the US are encouraged to visit the US Customs and Border Protection website for information concerning requirements of the US Western Hemisphere Travel Initiative. cbp.gov The Government of Canada requires that all international travellers carry a valid passport.

Entry requirement now in effect: Visa-exempt foreign nationals need an Electronic Travel Authorization (eTA) to fly to or transit through Canada. Exceptions include US citizens and travellers with a valid Canadian visa. (Canadian citizens, dual citizens, and Canadian permanent residents cannot apply for an eTA.) Apply before you book your flight to Canada. Read more at cbsa-asfc.gc.ca

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WEEKEND ITINERARY

5 IDEAS TO HELP PLAN YOUR NEXT VISIT

We can offer many good reasons to extend your stay or make the most of a free weekend during your visit with friends, family–or to explore on your own. Mix these five elements to help build your unique weekend itinerary in Mississauga.

1

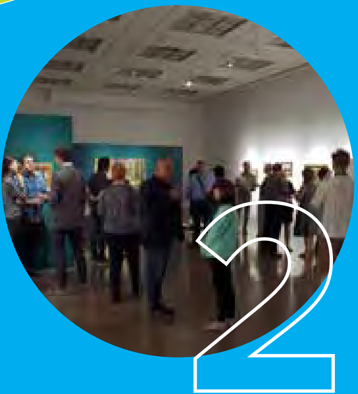
BE PART OF HISTORY

As we celebrate 150 years of Canada's Confederation in 2017, Mississauga opens the doors to our own heritage and pride of place. Explore charming local attractions on historic main streets of the villages that formed the foundation of our city, such as Clarkson, Port Credit and Streetsville. Tour historic homes that recreate what life was like in days gone by at Mississauga's signature museums: Benares Historic House (Clarkson), Bradley Museum (Clarkson) and Leslie Log House (Streetsville). Or enjoy one of the many self-guided tours available at **museumsofmississauga.com**

➔Find events all year
mississauga.ca/canada150

2

EXPLORE THE ARTS

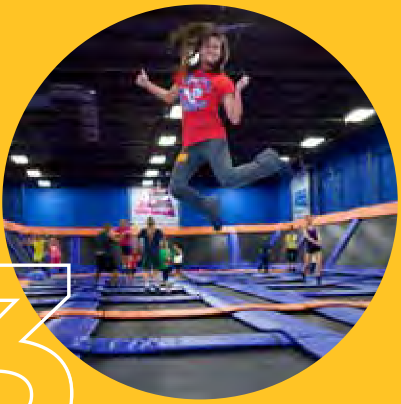


Get ahead of the crowds one sunny morning for a self-guided tour of downtown's public works of art and unique architecture in the blocks around Mississauga Civic Centre. Enjoy a leisurely lunch at Square One, followed by an afternoon visit to the Art Gallery of Mississauga (AGM) to view thought-provoking exhibitions. See what's on at Mississauga Celebration Square, which hosts free festivals and events through the year. Book tickets one evening for a performance at the Living Arts Centre, from a great roster of live entertainment. Check event listings on page 8 and on **discovermississauga.ca**

3

PLAY WITH THE KIDS

Prize time with friends, extended family or your own kids during your visit by trying something memorable. If you're new to winter, go ice skating outdoors one morning at Mississauga Celebration Square or at local parks. In summer, spin your wheels along a cycling network that includes more than 400 kilometres of bike lanes, multi-use trails, and bike friendly roadways. Treat young ones to an afternoon at one of our entertainment centres dedicated to family fun, from trampolines to virtual reality games. See page 28 for more ideas.



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GET SOME FRESH AIR

Experience the best of Canadian nature right here in Mississauga. Get out early in the day to join bird watchers at Rattray Marsh Conservation Area, home to an abundance of wildlife along Lake Ontario. Plan a waterside picnic lunch along the banks of the Credit River in one of the parks and natural areas that draw anglers year round. Capture an evening's memory with a shot of the sunset taken from the Port Credit Lighthouse, followed by a stroll though the village for dinner and a show. Take a look at Parks, Gardens and Trails in our Top 50 Things to See and Do on page 35.

5

CHEER FUTURE CHAMPIONS

Watch the next generation of hockey stars on ice at a home game of the Mississauga Steelheads September to March, for exciting OHL (Ontario Hockey League) hockey at the Hershey Centre. Or indulge in hoop dreams courtside at a Raptors 905 home game, the National Basketball Association (NBA) Development League's affiliate team of the NBA's Toronto Raptors.

raptors905.com
mississaugasteelheads.com

Nearby

See some of Canada's most iconic landmarks, from the majestic Niagara Falls to Toronto's CN Tower. Here are a few ideas for day trips and fun things to see or do—all located nearby during your stay in Mississauga.

Hornblower Niagara Cruises

NIAGARA FALLS

niagarafallstourism.com

Distance from Mississauga: 108 km/67 miles (1 hour 20 minutes by car)

Niagara Falls, Canada features year-round fun and activities for the whole family. See the spectacular beauty of the falls—well worth a day trip any time of year, and less than a 90-minute drive from Mississauga. Zip up to the top of the Skylon Tower for the best view. Get a wet, wild close-up view of the falls from below, on a Hornblower Niagara Cruise. Visit Clifton Hill, the "Street of Fun," packed with attractions, restaurants and affordable things to do with the kids.

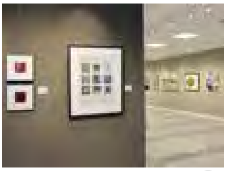
TORONTO

SeeTorontoNow.com

Distance from Mississauga: 28 km/17.5 miles (30 minutes by car)

Mississauga is a dynamic part of the Greater Toronto Area, and neighbours Canada's largest city. Toronto brims with unique attractions such as the EdgeWalk atop the landmark CN Tower, Ripley's Aquarium of Canada and the Toronto Zoo—always a hit with young ones. Visit the Royal Ontario Museum or the Art Gallery of Ontario. Play an escape game in the castle turrets of historic Casa Loma. There are many fun ways to explore the neighbourhoods and attractions of Toronto, even if you just have a few hours.

Meet the neighbours!
Notable attractions close by



TO

ETOBICOKE CIVIC CENTRE ART GALLERY

399 The West Mall, Toronto | 416-394-8628
toronto.ca/culture

Dedicated to the promotion of art and artists in the community, displaying local, national and international works. The gallery features annual juried shows and monthly exhibits.

TO

FANTASY FAIR INSIDE WOODBINE CENTRE

500 Rexdale Boulevard (at Highway 27), Toronto | 416-674-5437
fantasyfair.ca

Ontario's largest indoor amusement park offers family fun, including a Rock 'n' Climb wall, Drop and Hop Tower, bumper cars, roller coaster, Ferris wheel, and train. Open year-round; Free parking.

TO

IFLY TORONTO

2007 Winston Park Drive, Oakville | 289-795-4000
iflytoronto.com

Defy the laws of gravity! This unique "free-fall simulation" activity suits all ages, from 4 up. Fly solo, with a group, or with family and friends, and enjoy indoor skydiving in a safe environment.

TO

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tangeroutlet.com/cookstown

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TO

THRESHOLD AVIATION

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Fly a jet airliner simulator! Get behind the controls of a modern airliner. Built into a real airplane cockpit, it's the closest experience to being an airline pilot!

TO

TORONTO PREMIUM OUTLETS

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Exceptional brands at extraordinary savings of up to 65% off. Shop over 80 stores including Burberry, Kate Spade, Under Armour, Saks OFF 5TH, Ted Baker, Tory Burch and more.

TO

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WoodbineEntertainment.com

Feel the thrill with world-class horse racing, exceptional dining and the excitement of the OLG slot floor. Event spaces available. Open year-round. Free admission and parking.

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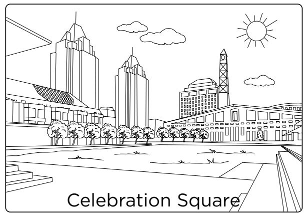
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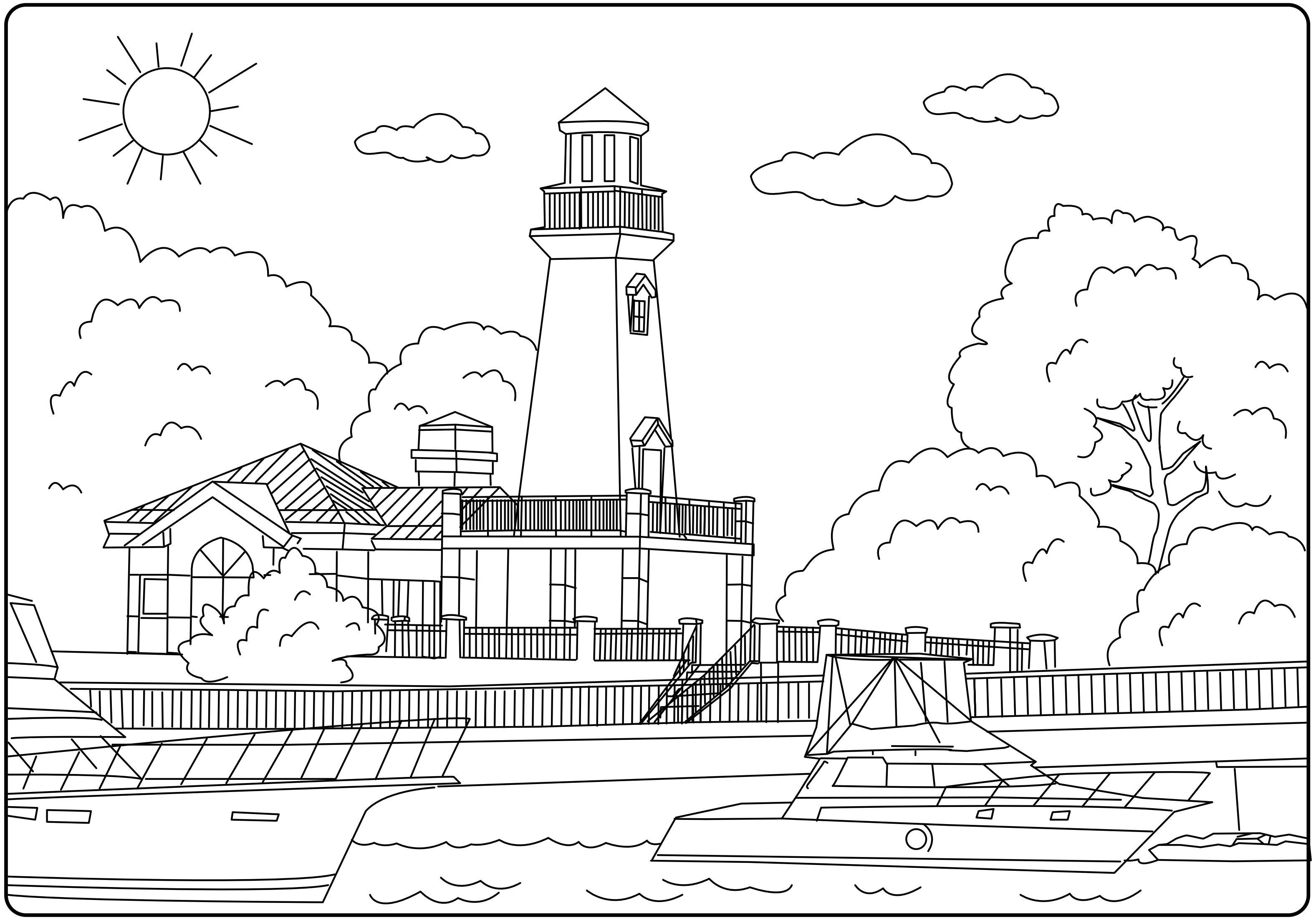

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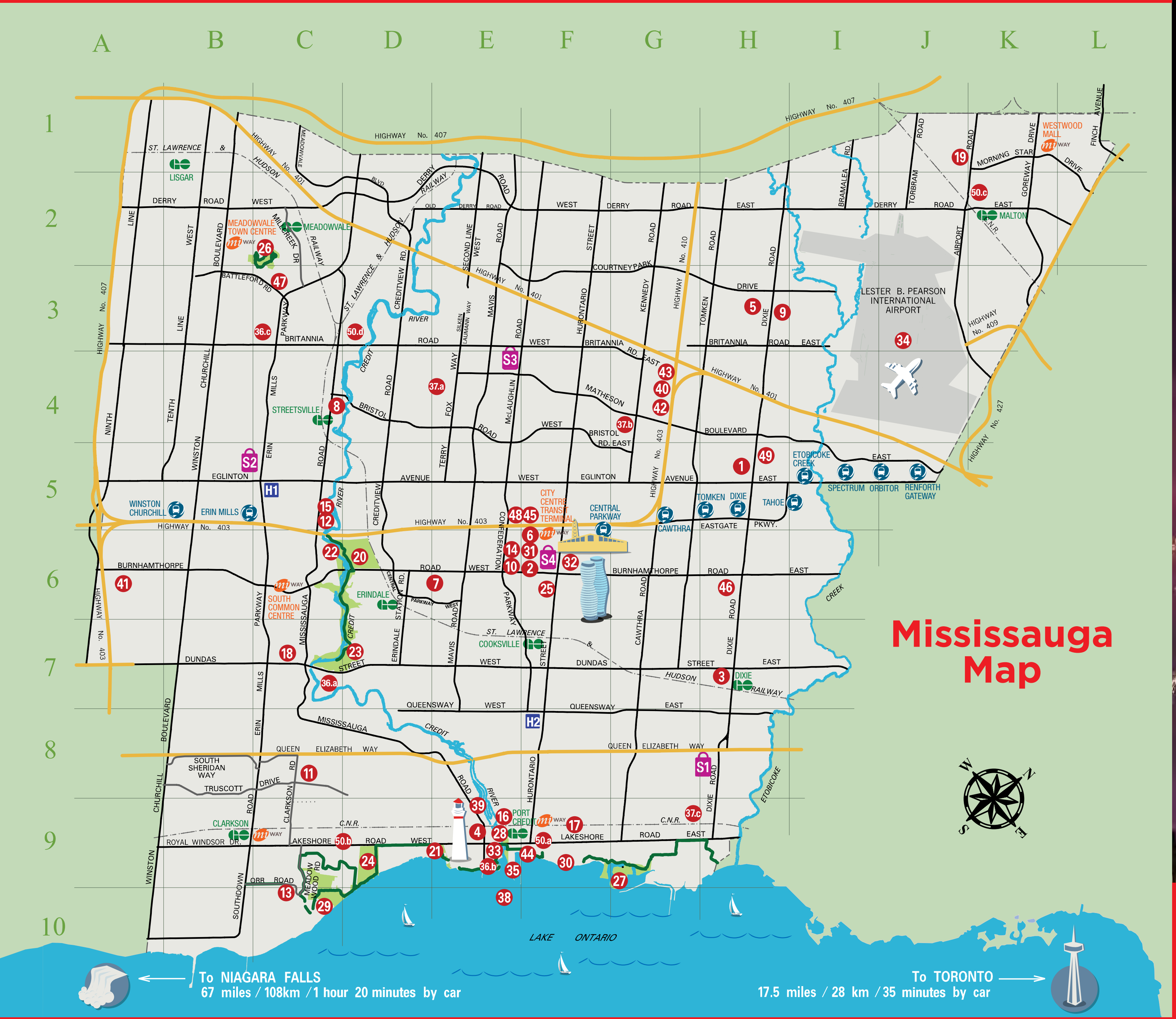
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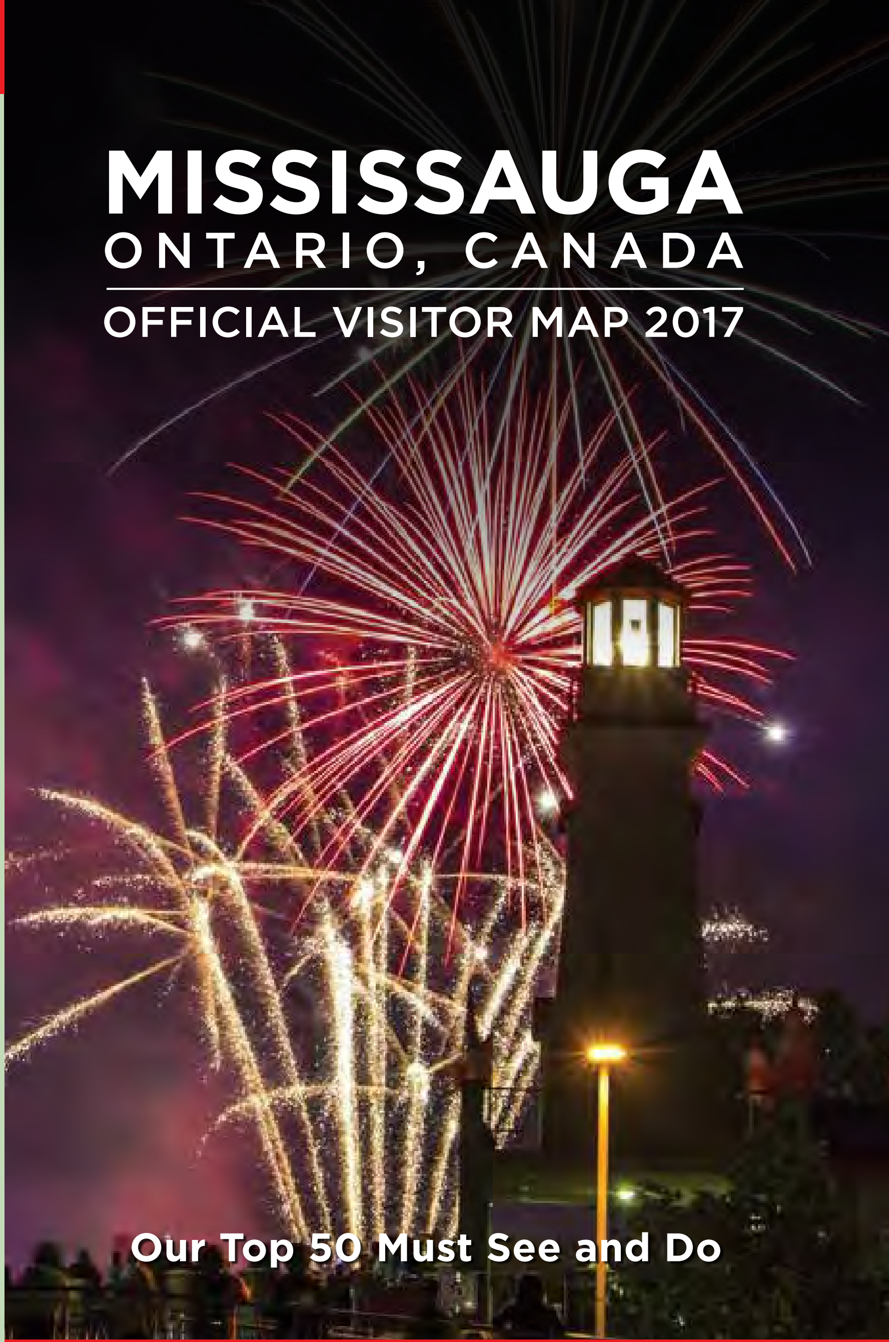
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